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## THE ESCAPED MURDERERS.

### CAPTURE OF ELFUS AND OWENBY YET UNDISCOVERED

### Men in Pursuit—Ferries and Crossings all Guarded—Further Details of the Escape from the Walla Walla Jail

WALLA WALLA, Dec. 26.—[Special.]—The escaped ... crossed at Pepper's crossing after ... the horses they had stolen from a ... living on the outskirts of the city ... living from them was at Milton where they ... fresh horses and went toward Weston ... are on their track, and will give no ... of themselves if they overtake them. ... the attack on the sheriff and the jailer ... citizens formed themselves into a committee ... as the sheriff was disabled. They were ... Harry Chapman, H. E. Holmes and F. J. ... the *Statesman*. They called on Mr. Ward ... county commissioner living here and obtained consent to their action and armed men ... were sent in every direction to ... intercept the murderers. At this time ... nothing new has transpired, but we are anxious ... expecting something definite and men are ... out to meet them. If they should come ... Elfus and Owenby. Orders were given to ... in advance if they should be caught.

ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF THE ESCAPE

... struck the sheriff on the head with ... as he entered the cell leaving Jailer Will ... The attack was so sudden that he had ... to lock the door, as was his custom. They ... sheriff out and dragged him into the cell ... the jailer who came to his assistance ... the jailer ran to a window looking into the ... to give an alarm when Elfus took up a ... lying on a window sill and commenced ... him with it. He cut a fearful gash in ... throat, and others on the face. His ... were literally criss-crossed with the sharp ... which he must have caught hold of in his ... to save himself. For a time it was thought ... die, but he is pulling through much better ... expected.

The sheriff is disabled but not dangerously. The ... was broken over his head.

... were held this morning at Blue Mountain ... suspicion but from a description telegraphed ... evidently not the men.

NO NEWS YET

WALLA WALLA, Dec 27.—[Special.]—No news yet ... fugitive escaped murderers. Reports come ... different parts of Umatilla county from the ... of the river but nothing is of a definite ... Every boat and ferry is guarded on the Co...

## NEWS OF THE NORTH.

### ... Scare at Victoria—Heavy Gale—Alaskan Notes—Etc.

VICTORIA, Dec. 24.—Since Saturday night the po... and Captain Blackburn, senior officer, have been ... of information that a plot is on foot to ... H. M. S. Heroine and the dockyard by ... a torpedo prepared by fenians in revenge ... hanging of O'Donnell. Every possible pre... has been taken and no fear of the naval authorities ... taken by surprise is now entertained. The ... have been instructed to be vigilant. No ... persons have been discovered in the city.

... southeaster sprang up yesterday morning ... until noon when the wind changed ... from the southwest being accompanied ... heavy fall of rain till late in the after... About 4 o'clock the heavy scaffolding on ... side of the First Presbyterian church was ... down, but no one was injured and the building ... damage. At nightfall the electric lights ... and about 7.30 the lamps not having ... properly guyed at the bottom, broke and went ... To-day the sky is clear and the sun is shining ... a general suspension of business to-day.

... Steamer Mexico, San Francisco, and ... Idaho, Alaska. The Idaho arrived at De... on Monday morning. In approaching ... she ran into the bows of the bark Don ... made fast to the wharf. The signal was ... given to back the steamer but her fore... in the jib-stays of the bark and the ... the Idaho's royal mast to go by the ... The bark was uninjured.

... Alaska is unimportant. The weather is ... little frost and snow. The United States ... is lying at Sitka.

... Bark Ladyhead, London.

... Eldorado from Hastings' mills with ... to anchor at Port Angelo yesterday ... out the gale.

## STATE DISPATCHES

### ... Particulars of the Accidents at Lebanon and Foster

... Dec. 25.—[Special.]—The large new city ... during a strong gale went down with a crash ... o'clock. The building was not yet ... completed and was not yet strong enough ... the heavy wind which was blowing ... of seventy miles. It was almost a ... no one was killed. A ball was given in ... of the building last night attended ... people and a number had been in the ... until within five minutes of the ... went down. The building was 80x60 ... high, and had cost about $2500.

... named Fitzgerald fell under the cars ... to-day and had a leg broken in three ... thought he cannot recover. He was ... the hospital in Walla Walla for treatment.

## WASHINGTON TERRITORY

### ... Building Blown from its Foundation

... Dec. 27.—[Special.]—The Baptist church ... from its foundation last night. Damage ... thermometer to-day stood 55 degrees above.

### Hancock Defeated

Los Angeles Daily Times

Hancock was stationed in this city in 1858, ... of the southern district of California ... an athlete of no small pretensions ... animals used for transportation, and ... number of ram... of which being the possessor of various ... One, a large buck, was a continual source ... and he generally made it lively for the ... individual who had occasion to go within ... in which he was confined. On one ... Hancock went into the corral on some mat... but as soon as the old ram saw ... started on the dead run for him with vic... a man who has since become famous on ... fought battle ground did not quail from ... his formidable antagonist and soon a ... wrestling match of the most ap... was taking place that would cause ... Muldoon to pale with envy ... Gettysburg with a haven't got-long to ... on his face, was first thrown into ... his heels pointing straight towards the ... next moment he led with irresist... to the earth. Several rounds were fought ... Hancock losing his grip but the camel was ... into the right trim for an all day fight ... within a few feet of the fence. Hancock ... this opportunity and suddenly released his ... and started for the house. How he got over ... never has been satisfactorily set ... Hancock was always reticent on the ... will probably never be explained unless ... by unbosoms himself.

### Ruined by Speculation

... come to light at Toledo, Ohio, recent... Marc Emery entered the ministry sev... He was placed in charge of the ... church at Smith's Ferry, Ohio. He gave ... and left the place with an un... reputation to transfer his labors to the First ... church at Sugar Grove, Penn. This ... months ago. One day early in No... he very disappeared. It was discovered that ... behind him to the extent of $500 ... behind him valued at $250 which ... carriage harness clothing books ... other articles ... sold at public auction three weeks ... netted $100. Emery's salary ... $600 was just almost due when he dis... Therefore his excuse for his sudden de... hardly have been financial embarrass... vehicle with which he departed was ... at the neighboring village of East ... Emery now turns up at Toledo and has ... his former parishioners at Sugar ... for their forgiveness. He says he ... by speculation and has been wan[dering] ... place to place in a crazed condition. He ... home and friends and is penniless.

### Junius Brutus Booth's Child

... Booth, daughter of the late Junius ... Booth, will commence suit to set aside ... her father. Her father first married ... from whom he separated has sec... being Harriet Mace. Marion was ... Francisco and under the laws of ... she claims the mother's share of ... from the father in the state upon her ... death Booth owned valuable prop... in San Francisco.

... claims that when she was 18 years ... visited the convent in which she ... educated and on a plea of pov... a document he brought with him ... reading it, and afterward learned that ... San Francisco property. Her ... the case in hand and Booth paid ... Marion $15,000. She learned that ... realized $50,000, and she was entitled ... more. Booth left his entire estate to ... Agnes. Under the Massachusetts ... a man cannot disfranchise his ...

### A Son of His Father

... is going the rounds of the news... in this state to the effect that a son of ... Brown whose son ... the owner of a ... at Bridgeville on Eel river ... in Mendocino ... at Bridgeville on Eel river ... Ham... we believe ... place in the county.— Men...

... are positive that there is no such ... at Bridgeville on Eel river ... Ham... Salmon Brown ... own ... and lives with his family on a ... near Bridgeville, on the Van Duzen ... county. He is a wool grower and has ... to improve the breed of ... in that county than any other man in it ... the memory of his father, he ... for newspaper notoriety because ... memorable scenes in his life and the tragic ... noted but fanatical sire.—*Tele*...

## NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

### Washington Territory.

Several attempts at burglary have recently been made in Seattle and Port Townsend.

A cutting affray took place on Sunday in Tacoma in which a man named Jo... Fenton was cut by ... Mattan. No fatal result is anticipated.

Work on the third story of the Annie Wright Institute ... is being pushed forward vigorously. The building is nearly enclosed and it is expected to have the roof on in thirty days. The structure already makes a fine appearance from the bay.

Tacoma *Ledger*: Hanson & Co's new machine shops begin to assume a finished appearance. The framework of the building is completed and the work of enclosing is nearly finished. It is expected that the shops will be ready for use in two or three weeks.

### Western Oregon.

The work of repairing the locks where the wash out was is completed. ... pente ... at work making two pairs of gates to use in case of ... accident. There are seven pairs of gates altogether and ... should be replaced soon.

A section boss on the O. & C. R. R. met with quite a painful though not serious accident while riding on a hand car near Salem Wednesday. He was thrown forward off the car striking on his face and splitting his nose wide open.

The storm on Monday and Tuesday at McMinnville was the most severe that has visited that section for a long time. The wind blew a gale while the rain descended in torrents. As a consequence fences are prostrated and streams are running at high tide.

A large balm tree fell across the railroad track about two hundred yards beyond the Harrisburg bridge Monday evening and a special train of carpenters was sent up from Portland to repair it. They worked all night and had a stormy time of it, the worst night of the season.

Farmers from the country says the Oregon City *Courier* report that wheat looks promising. The moon is now on the decline with rainy cloudy weather and a shrewd farmer who studies the weather—as every farmer ought—says that since a great portion of our wheat was injured last year in December the weather being clear and cold he predicts that from the different turn it has taken this season we may calculate on a good harvest next summer.

*Aurora*: At a citizens meeting held at the city hall Thursday evening it transpired that the total cost of the recent trial in Portland before Judge Deady wherein certain citizens of Astor[ia] were fined $1000 and costs aggregated $2,3... 53. It was decided that the parties in the suit be reimbursed. About $1200 of the amount is already pledged the remainder to be raised forthwith.

## MAKING THERMOMETERS

### Some Material and Considerable Trouble for Fifteen Cents

New York Sun.

"First class thermometers for fifteen cents!" called out a man who stood in the lower part of Broadway with a large basket of thermometers in front of him. "Here is a good chance to get a perfected register of atmospheric temperature for the small sum of a dime and a half. Step forward gentlemen and embrace your opportunity!"

The thermometers were inclosed in neat japanned tin cases and the scales were silver plated and marked in black. Some of the tubes held mercury and others held colored alcohol.

"I cannot comprehend how thermometers can be manufactured for that price," a thermometer maker said. "Where can the profit be? You have no idea of the great trouble and the amount of time that it takes to make an accurate thermometer. I know that thermometers can be bought throughout the city at ... where from fifteen cents up, and I must say, also that many of them are good thermometers. These cheap thermometers are not manufactured in this city. They come chiefly from Connecticut where there are several large factories which turn them out in vast numbers."

"Why are accurate thermometers so costly to make?"

"In the first place we buy the glass tubes and test them. According to my experience only one out of every six is fit to put into a thermometer."

"How are the tubes tested?"

"By drawing into them a short column of mercury and measuring its length at different points with a pair of dividers. It is absolutely necessary that the bore of the tubes be uniform. Then the bulb has to be blown and filled with mercury. The air is driven out of the tube by heating the mercury to boiling point and then putting a tip of sealing wax on the open end. The amount of mercury necessary for the tube is regulated by vaporizing it off. Then the open end of the tube is closed by heating the glass. The next thing is to make the scale."

"Must a fresh scale be made for each thermometer?"

"Certainly. To make the scale it is necessary to have at least two points on the bulbed tube which holds the mercury. The points usually selected are the freezing point and the boiling point of water. For the former the bulb is surrounded by ice and for the latter it is placed in boiling water. From these points the scale is made. Each scale is stamped out by hand. Afterward the bulbed tube is fastened to the scale which is on a silver plated strip of brass. It is then fastened in a tin case."

"Are the fifteen cent thermometers made in this way?"

"I suppose that they must be and it is for this reason that I don't see where the profit comes in."

"Is there no other way of grading a thermometer than by putting the bulb in ice and in boiling water?"

"Yes. The points may be obtained by putting the bulbs in water the temperature of which is told by a standard thermometer kept especially for that purpose. This method is often used."

"Is mercury better than colored alcohol in thermometers?"

"It is, except where the thermometers are wanted for measuring extreme cold. Mercury can be frozen solid but it is impossible to freeze alcohol. Experiments have been made which show that the most intense cold known will only have the effect of making the alcohol oily in its appearance. Mercury withstands more heat before it boils than alcohol does, for alcohol boils at a lower temperature than water. The kind of thermometers which I have been speaking of are those which are most commonly used."

## MR. BEECHER ON CARBONIC GAS

### He Recommends Fellow Ministers to be a Little Witty.

New York Journal.

Mr. Beecher threw his sealskin overcoat across the back of a chair at Plymouth church last night and blowing the cold off the ends of his fingers, began to preach on self government and control. He said that every man is the result of forces that have been acting down toward him for centuries, but that every man has a problem to work out in life. "Some men," said the preacher, "who are of wonderful intellectual ideas would starve to death if they had to work for a living. Men of practical sound ways say, what's the use of these intellectual infants things? They never reach for them but to pull them down and milk them." Multitudes of men are shocked when they hear of any wit associated with a man while in prayer.

"Why shouldn't I flash wit before God?" said Mr. Beecher. "Didn't he make it? There is not one single part of a man's soul that is not necessary to his salvation. Suppose an ... every man should decide to leave out the letter I from his writings? Suppose a musical composer should decide to leave out a certain ... from his anthems because he thought it was ... sharp?

"Mirth," continued Mr. Beecher, "is like an ... I was going to say champagne but I'll say soda water. [Laughter.] Many of your ideal preachers are so afraid of being thought too progressive that they blow out all the lights from their sermons and they ... music ... are very ... and very stupid. It is considered quite ... in church by some men but ... is that congregation that laughs out loud."

### White House Wear and Tear

Washington Letter.

Many people wonder why it costs so much to keep the executive mansion in good ... "I ... know well," says the ... "The ... furniture ... try. ... people ... a day ... upon ... the carpets ... selves in the ... chairs ... examine with their eyes and fingers all the upholstery and drapery. When ... remember that this is repeated every day in the year it will cease to be a matter of wonder ... wear is so rapid. Of course the people of this country would ... live and ... this ... were excluded from the ... what a tempest of indignation ... landed measure would provoke. ... were paid for by the people and ... going to see them. All that ... let the people wear 'em out and ... they can pay for more."

There is a one-legged confederate soldier in Georgia who has never drawn any pension from the state because ... the ... command were killed and there is no one ... to certify to his having been in the army.

## TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

### INSTRUCTORS OF THE FIFTH DISTRICT ASSEMBLE AT FOREST GROVE.

### The Prevailing Stormy Weather Prevents a Large Attendance on the Opening Day—Wednesday's Proceedings

FOREST GROVE, Or. Dec. ... 1883.

The teachers' institute for the fifth judicial district met at the college chapel to-day at ... O P M. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, but a small number of teachers and citizens were present at the opening session. Superintendent McElroy was promptly on hand and proceeded to lay before the institute his views concerning the practicability of institute work.

Superintendent ... F. Quick of Columbia county was elected secretary and N. Davis of Forest Grove reporting secretary.

The ground work of Superintendent McElroy's work was placed on the blackboard from which the following points are presented:

INSTITUTE WORK

Major objects—To acquaint teachers with the best methods of instruction to increase the efficiency of teachers by giving a distinct idea of the true end of education by giving more elementary knowledge of the science of teaching by illustrating the latest methods of imparting instruction and by giving a correct idea of what constitutes a good school to secure uniformity of work in methods of organization of school records and in government by bringing teachers, people and school officers together, we thus awaken a common interest in education.

Minor objects—To gain inspiration in teaching, to gain professional information, to learn to avoid ... to compare ourselves professionally with our associate teachers. It affords young teachers an opportunity to express their views in public; growing out of these meetings comes a feeling of pride, an essential element of success; to correct prevailing faults, viz: waste of time in movements of pupils in conducting recitations and in repeating work done by previous teachers and wrong methods arising from defective knowledge and lack of experience.

GENERAL DISCUSSION

Should prizes be used as an incentive to study in school?

Professor Roby of the Portland public schools opened the discussion. The professor took the negative, showing that the practice of giving prizes in school is on a par with the habit indulged in by some ... mothers of giving small presents to induce children to be obedient. He had observed both in this state and in the east that the giving of prizes had worked injuriously to all parties concerned, and was of the opinion that the custom should not be allowed in any ...

Professor Lyman superintendent of Washington county did not know but that ... grow out of the custom. He saw objections to the plan but on account of the difficulties existing in the management of country schools it might be well to offer something tangible to ... good ... for a time at least.

Professor Roby thought that the motive was a low one.

Professor Crawford of Portland saw a precedent for the child wishing a prize for excelling in particular lines, and thought this is one reason why prizes are thought to be necessary in schools. He thought we should find a way to get along without the prize, should compare teachers who offer prizes with those who do not and see the results. As a result of his own comparison he fully believed that the non-prize teachers of the state are far ahead of those who make a practice of offering prizes. He referred to the custom in Portland of certain citizens giving money for prizes and thought that evil was growing out of it.

Professor ... of ... county thought it hard to deal with children in a philosophical manner but easy to deal with them in a practical manner. The prize even of a card was something very desirable for the good it produced. Prizes are given in all other departments of life with good results and why not the same in the schools?

Professor Harrison was called upon. As a known prize giver he had found the system very good ... of great use. He had found it difficult to get up any enthusiasm in his class in penmanship without offering prizes. He would not advocate the prize system in the ordinary school.

Professor Burnham of the Portland school was totally opposed to the usual plan of offering prizes because the prize had no relation to the work done. The approbation of the teacher, the approbation of the class of which the teacher is a member and the good standing accredited to the pupil are legitimate prizes and prizes which may be offered with good results.

Professor Marsh of Pacific university thought without much experience as a teacher he ... schools had seen enough of the prize system to condemn it. Any incentive that exalts one above another is injurious. Any prize that excites ... effort without heartburnings and rivalry might be employed with advantage.

Professor Hutchinson of Lafayette saw in the prize system simply a repetition of systems in ordinary life. He usually applied ... he thought it injurious but believed a simple and judicious ... of incentive in the line of prizes ... Emulation was good but should not be abused.

Professor Ferry of Pacific university thought that a teacher who could not arouse enthusiasm without offering prizes was lame in some respects. He should cure himself of his defects and then he would need no prizes.

Superintendent McElroy said a teacher might after drawing his salary spend the entire amount for prizes, distribute them among the pupils, and then he might depart in peace.

After recess the question of the essentials of arithmetic was taken up and the discussion opened by L. C. Walker of Forest Grove. From his experience the first four rules of arithmetic were the essential rules and of these the first of that of addition was the poorest. He thought he had found from experience that few people except practical accountants can add long columns of figures without making mistakes. As a ... he thought the metrical system cumbersome and impracticable and non-essential in arithmetic. Too much room was given in our arithmetics to compound numbers. He did not think the ... should be neglected. Ratio and proportion might be omitted but involution and evolution ought to be thoroughly learned. He thought analysis should be learned for the good in after life. He would teach the rules first as they are given in the books and not save the pupil to frame his own.

Adjourned to meet at 7.30 P. M.

EVENING SESSION

The institute was called to order at 7.30 P. M. in the First Congregational church, Superintendent McElroy in the chair.

The storm had not abated and this disadvantage coupled with the fact that it is holiday week and many have gone home to spend Christmas renders it rather an unfavorable time for institute work.

The exercises were opened by the choir under the guidance of Captain Merriman. The song "My Glorious Home" was well rendered.

Next came the address of welcome by Rev. H. ... Lyman. The speaker paid the teachers a glowing tribute by calling them the true aristocracy of America. He reviewed the condition of the public schools of America, noted the great benefit and responsibility resting upon the common school teacher and exhorted them to bear always in mind the responsibility of their calling.

Superintendent O. F. Paxton of Multnomah county responded to the address. He regretted that an older and more experienced school worker had not been chosen for this part of the work. He thanked the speaker who had just left the floor for his words of welcome and said that the visiting teachers had not left their homes and their families for a trifling purpose but were here for work—each ... to work. He hoped that at no distant day ... institute organized in pursuance of the general law of the state, felt the importance of the work committed to their hands.

At the conclusion of Mr. Paxton's remarks Mrs. Ellis favored the audience with a vocal solo ... "Bride of Beauty."

The main feature of the evening was an address by Rev. J. F. Ellis, president of the Pacific University and Tualatin academy, on the subject of "... on Instruction in the Principles of Government." The speaker held the common school in a high estimation that he always writes the ... each word in capitals. He gave an illustration of the vast consequences growing out of the common school and pointed out the sphere in which the youth educated in the common schools must move with the greatest benefit or disaster ... Training has been good or bad in the ... Political intelligence is the basis of all ... of public affairs and a test of the requisite of a voter. The boy of this year is the voter of ... and although no boy is born ... he frequently comes into ... such as he becomes a ... in the eyes of the law. How important then that the children of the elementary schools ... instructed in the majesty and the ... of the ... Let this be instilled into the minds ... in our land and the technicalities of the law which enable criminals to escape justice will cease. There is a great need that something of a political nature be taught in our common schools, something pertaining to statesmanship and that the task should not be left to the teachers of the college.

Music by the choir closed the exercises for the evening.

N. DAVIS,

Reporting Secretary.

### Writing for Their Love

Peter Schappert is one of the ... of Wilkesbarre, Pa., ... father ... and highly ... The other evening the ... in the ... adjoining his house. On investigating he found a bottle ... daughter's ... to ... the parent ... believe that ... to take ... for the ... part in the affair. On ... the side of the street ... was found. Pr... Sp... this ... whole ... Speck and Miss ... had ... her ... and ... fell desperately in love with each other ... daughter ... refused ... Speck ... the house ... a few minutes ... Miss ... the window ... ready to ... her ... lover to ... that she ... his arms ... appearance.

**Lundborg's Perfume,** Edenia.

**Lundborg's Perfume,** Marechal Niel Rose.

**Lundborg's Perfume,** Alpine Violet.

**Lundborg's Perfume,** Lily of the Valley.

## THE POEM OF GENESIS.

Rev. R. Heber Newton in a lecture on "The Book of Genesis" at All Saints' church, New York, spoke in part as follows. Of the first chapter of Genesis he said:

It is a simple and sublime poem of the dawn. Sooner or later in the history of every ... the mind begins to ask the meaning of the wonderful life of nature. Whence it all? How was it made? And the thought ... could not rest until it finds some answer to these questions—very imperfect answers ... answers that satisfy it for the time. The ... race goes through the same experience ... or later each race starts the quest of the origin of the world and its beautiful ... The answer it finds for this question ... a cosmogony—a genesis of the ... as the Greeks call nature. ... records a Hebrew cosmogony ... they had it the ... How it grew up we do not know, but we are quite sure that it was not made by any one school in ... was not ... mechanically copied from the cosmogonies of other peoples but did really grow up in the thought of the people, slowly ripening into its present form. ... haps, as Herder suggested, its form grew out of the daily watching of the coming in of day. It seems probable that this poem of the dawn in rude outline was handed down from father to son through long centuries slowly shaping itself toward its present form, but that its final shaping was wrought by some master hand in the exile of Babylonia. In this exile the mental and spiritual nature of the Hebrews rapidly ripened under the influences of Babylonian culture and of the national sorrow. This poem of the dawn is a philosophy of nature at once subtle and profound. In its grouping of the creative action into orderly and progressive stages it divines our secret of evolution through ... of change. In the unripe knowledge of those ages, it misses the series of the stages. In its opening sentence it affirms the profoundest ... to which man has reached—the thought which holds the perpetual character of religion—"In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." Sweeping away all polytheisms with the stroke of the pen ... all materialism in a flash of insight, it reveals one divine being, the spiritual source and ground of all existence.

We wrong this astonishing poem of the dawn when we try to twist it into a scientific ... of our latest knowledge ... our astronomy and geology ... our thought of nature to its primitive ... We rightly use it for the purpose for which it was providentially prepared, ... to watch it so flexibly lends itself ... interpretation the laws and processes of nature by this vision of the Seer. Speaking of the first chapter of Genesis Mr. Newton said that ... was a great ... ly generation ... stly told, as literal stories of ... walking in the garden of the talking serpent ... but the great souls who gave the chapter its present beautiful form ... as ... things only to be represented allegorically. We even see rude drawings of the Tree of Life and the man and the woman taking the apple. We ... old ... clay tablets the same legends handed down independent of the Hebrews ... is a symbolic story, a prose poem whose meaning is not hard to guess ... of late. The real golden age ... and man ... at the end ... as at the beginning ... garden of the Lord, Paradise ... become again as little children ... searched ... legend ... after a ... of ... fashion of Jewish ... Christian doctrine is inexcusable in ... nineteenth century.

The fourth ... chapter of Genesis ... at the ... verse of the sixth chapter to the close of the ninth chapter ... It contains a story of the deluge ... other ... the Jewish ... there ... self-contradictions that have ... the result of the ... of two separate versions of the tradition ... separate account can be tolerably well distinguished and then each reads coherently ... The incredibilities of the story when read as a literal history, of course do not trouble us since the story is so plainly one of the primitive legends, and we need not trouble our children with the perplexities. It is another real prose poem which out of the germ of the tradition of some actual flood or more probably of a solar myth the stern moral sense of the Hebrews developed a story of Divine retribution upon human sin. It too was probably a growth. We may feel quite certain that our Hebrew version of the deluge was drawn from Chaldaic traditions. As we have the story it represents a long growth. ... notions of an early age lingering on in the crude representations of Jehovah's repentance at having made man, his smelling Noah's sacrifice, etc.—expressions which afterward became sublimated ... feeling until they were ... as we read them, without offense. ... into others the Hebrews breathed their noble moral spirit. We know in our larger growth that God does not punish men for one ... offenses by visiting them with calamities in no wise connected with the wrong doing. He does not punish the vice and crime of New York by a tidal wave from the Atlantic. Our punishment for this crime comes through our taxes, through the disease that breeds in this ... and physical filth.

The ... of ... men sprung out ... of God and ... of human degeneracy which culminates in the flood ... told in Genesis issues in this last ... light—in the beautiful and impressive ... by Jehovah whose sign was set in the rainbow. Other peoples have ... over the ... of the ... rainbow and have given us charming ... The Hebrew saw in it—with ... fidelity to the ... of nature in this ... phenomenon a sacrament of the victory of light ... and of the ... of ... storm of the ... the ... of ... purpose toward beautiful order.

## HOW DAVY CROCKETT DIED

### The Remaining Three Messengers of Defeat at the Alamo All Gone

*Formerly of the New York Sun.* ... in the ... day an article ... David Crockett in which Old Uncle Bogardus ... to tell some anecdotes of the ... hunter. These may all be true but the ... sentence, which tells of Crockett's ... death in Texas is not true.

Uncle Bogardus says Crockett ... to Texas where after a series of ... military exploits he was finally killed at Fort Alamo in San Antonio De Bexar. He was one of the six survivors who under promise of being spared at last surrendered and were afterward ... cruelly put to death by Santa Anna's ...

This is all a mistake. Crockett never had the opportunity to perform any ... military exploits in Texas because there was ... Mexicans ... of San Antonio and ... arrived there from the ... the Mexican army under General Cos ...

... Texas ... undertook to defend the Alamo ... Mexican army ... every man who ... to the Alamo knew it would be ... one surrendered. Crockett was killed ... while defending himself to the last with ... rifle ...

The only persons who ... the Alamo were Mrs. Dickinson ... her infant daughter ... known as "the Child of the Alamo," and a negro servant who belonged to ... Colonel Travis.

I was ... the ... when it was taken ... the Alamo ... under General Urrea ... and saw ... at ... The ... defenders of the Alamo ...

... the heroes of the Alamo ... a ... in the ... state house at ... inscribed on it the ... in English ... "Thermopylae had her messenger of defeat, the Alamo had none."

I have often talked with ... of the Alamo ... Uncle Bogardus ... the first person I have heard of who ... Crockett ...

Washington, Nov. 27. ... L. N. H.

Parvis Hillyerlewood, the richest man in Australia, is worth $500,000,000. His father, Mr. Clarke, went to New South Wales with a few thousand pounds and bought land where the city of Melbourne afterward was built. The ... increased in size like the traditional snowball.

## HOW THE WAR ENDED.

### THE KENTUCKIAN AND THE DUTCHMAN

### The very Last Battle of the Rebellion Fought at Camp Douglas—Johnny Reb's Revenge

A Mississippi trooper furnishes the following account of his own experience at the close of the war to the Philadelphia *Times*:

My regiment, the Twelfth Mississippi cavalry, was stationed at Summit, Miss., in the winter of 1864—when information was received by the colonel that a regular trade ... cotton ... was going on between ... negroes ... at the plantations just above Natchez and the federal forces along the river. I was one of the detachment picked out to go on a ... expedition to look into that trading business ... taking up quarters at Camp Douglas for the rest of the war ... were on the lookout for us ... I did not expect to be halted ... so promptly ...

CAUGHT

When it happened I was riding leisurely along the road ... coming from a point on the river I had been sent to observe ... among ... woods ... thinking this civil war was over. If I remember right I was whistling when just as I was rounding a point in the road ... I heard the sounds Click click just ahead of me, and in the second after the order, "Halt!" I halted. Then an officer and six negro soldiers stepped out into the road and ordered me to advance and surrender. I did so, giving up my carbine and my mule for that was the sort of horse the most of our regiment was mounted on in the last year of the war. The negroes cursed me scandalously and I was really afraid they would murder me in cold blood in spite of their commanding officer. He was a little uneasy about it too.

They forwarded me on to Natchez, together with some other prisoners they had lately captured, a part of them from my own regiment, and at Natchez they put us in the guard house till a boat should be on hand to take us up the river. The ladies of Natchez had given us a good supply of blankets and quilts but all but one piece were taken from us before we went on board the boat. It was cold enough on the river and we needed every blanket we could get. I reckon we were about fifty miles below Memphis when the boat ran in the night against a snag and I was all over with her.

We got into a sandspit in the river without any loss of life but there were some officers on the hand also some women passengers who had got out of their beds with only their night clothes on and they had time to put on their ... It was a rude change enough for them from their snug berths on board the boat to the wind swept sand pit and they had to walk around right lively to keep their blood circulating. About 8 A. M. another boat came along and took us off the spit. A Memphis I found some friends who gave me a little money and a couple of blankets that were not taken from me this time. We arrived at last at Camp Douglas where we were put in quarters already occupied by some of Morgan's men then prisoners.

CAMP DOUGLAS

The building we were put in was about sixty feet long and sixteen feet wide. There were rows of double bunks, one above the other, running the length of the building with an aisle between them. There was a floor at each end of the house and one in the middle. There was a stove at one end where only two of us at a time were permitted to warm and only for a few moments. We had to go back in a hurry to our bunks as the ... from the men who kept guard on us. Most of us who had been brought as prisoners from Natchez had never seen snow ... and ... inches deep and we were smartly bothered with the spirit that took us up to the water. We were not prepared for ... in the ... way of clothes. But for all that we didn't get sent out in a hurry at the ... of the ... every morning ... for ... that was the time the roll was called ... and ... we were not right on hand the guard had a way of notifying us to be a little ... more prompt the next time.

Talk about a white man when he can't help himself not standing a ... like a black man. Why I've seen ... than ... take a big Kentuckian who had ridden with John Morgan and been in the habit when free of peppering his meat with gunpowder and picking his teeth with a bowie knife. I've seen the Dutchman ... a fellow like that strip him ... over the edge of a bunk and strap him with a soldier belt with the brass buckle at the end of it.

Well after a while news came of Lee's surrender and that the war was over. We did not believe it at first but we were convinced when they sent us all from ... on parole and gave us transportation home. We had been released from the prison and were sitting down in the shade along the sidewalk waiting for papers to be made out or something of the sort and on the opposite side of the street was an Illinois regiment that had lately got back from the seat of war. They had stacked arms and were lounging about just as we were. Of course we got to mingling together and talking for the men who had fought one another were always friendly when the fighting was not going on. It was only the cowardly home guards who were ever cruel to prisoners—prisoners being the only enemies they had a chance of meeting.

HIGH AND MIGHTY

I forgot to say that the two Germans who had special charge of our barracks we named Fritz and Fetch, and it used to make them powerful mad when we called out their names in the dark. Fetch was a corporal, and the meanest of the two. While we were sitting out on the sidewalk as I was saying, Fetch who was walking about there kept stepping on the feet of the big Kentuckian who was lying stretched out in the sunshine.

"Please don't step on my feet again," said the Kentuckian, whereupon Fetch cursed him as he had been in the habit of doing in the prison.

"I ain't your prisoner no more and I dare you to stand up and fight it out like a man," said the Kentuckian.

Fetch was always inclined to that sort of thing and was for getting away at once but some of the Illinois boys had heard what had passed, and may be they wanted to see a little fun. At any rate some of them hollered out:

"That won't do Mr. Dutchman. You must stand up to the lad."

"Come, Johnny Reb. We'll see fair play."

They got up as pretty a little scrimmage as one could wish to see and although the Kentuckian had been broth fed for six months and was not himself by half as he said afterward, he fixed the Dutchman out in no time. The ... of the soldier belt with the big brass buckle on the end of it was a powerful ...

It was really the last battle of the war.

### An Old Song Analysed

Toronto Globe

You all know the old "Sing a song of sixpence," but have you ever heard what it is meant for?

The four and twenty blackbirds represent the twenty-four hours. The bottom of the pie is the world while the top crust is the sky that overarches it. The opening of the pie is the day dawn when the birds begin to sing and surely such a sight is fit for a king.

The king who is represented as sitting in his parlor counting out his money is the sun while the gold pieces that slip through his fingers ... are the golden sunshine.

The queen who sits in the dark kitchen is the moon, and the honey with which she regales herself is the moonlight.

The industrious maiden who is in the garden at work before the king, the sun, has risen, is day dawn, and the clothes she hangs out are the clouds, while the bird who so tragically ends the song by nipping off her nose is the hour of sunset. So we have the whole day, if not in a nutshell, in a pie.

### Flora's Sweet Gifts

New York World.

It was a poor representative who did not have a ... of fragrant flowers on his desk at the ... of the lower house of congress. Some of the desks fairly groaned under Flora's sweet gifts and the air was laden with the ... Of course a majority of the gentlemen ... set embowered in ... the ... galleries ... their own flowers and had them sent in. But hundreds of dollars must have been spent in this useless luxury. We are drifting toward Roman extravagance ... It is a bad omen for the republic founded by our simple fathers when it requires so many costly flowers to ... a member of congress as it does to ... a popular prize fighter or burglar in New York city.

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## THE TWO GREAT PARTIES.

### Examination of the Position of the Parties Especially in Regard to the Tariff Question

The Washington correspondent of the New York *Times* ... makes an elaborate analysis of the present political situation ... in regard to the attitude of the two great parties on the tariff question. He says: The relative positions of the two political ... in the approaching presidential ... have been defined. The election of Mr. Carlisle speaker of the house of representatives by the democrats was a positive notice to the country that the great majority of that party favored reduction of taxation by reforming the tariff. The call of the republican national convention is equally positive notice that a large majority of that party opposes interference with the action of the last congress on the tariff ... for the time being. Its motto is "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." They do not want to disturb the business interests of the country.

Undoubtedly if the republican leaders who ... of the ... of their party in the late ... congress, could have determined at this time the ... of the two parties before the country they would have made it precisely as it is. With surprising unanimity, the rank and file of the party apparently coincides with them. There is less harmony in the democratic party. It is true that Mr. Randall who represents the conservative element of the party on the tariff question made a beggarly showing of strength in caucus but he nevertheless represents a large and influential following of democrats.

The position of the democrats doubtless has been misrepresented by the extreme organs of their party as well as by the mouthpieces of the other ... They will not make the mistake a second time of declaring for a tariff for revenue only. They will attempt a judicious reform of the present tariff and go to the country on that issue. The democratic representatives in the present congress ... will not with any marked unanimity ... a tariff bill at the outset but in the end there will be substantial agreement. There are personal ... and rivalries which will make this agreement difficult. Personal feeling undoubtedly had a great deal to do with the defeat of Randall. But with a fair fighting chance to win the great prize in 1884 it is not safe to calculate upon democratic blunders winning the battle for the republicans.

It is not ... that a combination was made in the house of representatives in the ... of the last session to defeat the conference report on the tariff bill. The combination included Speaker Keifer, Mr. Robeson and many other influential republican representatives. They had an understanding with the democrats who opposed the bill because it did not ... sufficient reductions. The programme was arranged ... including the motions which were ... to be made and the rulings which the speaker had prepared thereon.

This was the situation upon the morning of the day of final adjournment. The ... members were in Washington ... The bill was ... unsatisfactory to them. They insisted that ... it became a law ... would be ... repealed but irretrievably injured. They were clamorous for its defeat. ... the ... Mr. Blaine and ... others ... at his suggestion made a determined ... to ... stem the seemingly irresistible ... There was ... of ... during the night but ... substantial progress was made.

The next morning bright and early Mr. Blaine was at the capitol ... leading ... were brought to the speaker's room ... He presented the situation ... his forcible ... I ... cannot accept this bill ... the ... agitation will continue ... next ... democratic ... They will ... sweeping reductions. The bill passed by the house ... or may not be defeated by the senate ... business interests of the country ... ... by more than a year's agitation ... another year of ... uncertainty along with the disturbing ... If the question is left an open one ... by republican votes. What ... the effect ... You must ... great ... than this bill ... May not the people conclude that ... are ... too much?

These arguments prevailed. The ... alarmed advocates of still greater protection asked what was to be done to undo what had already been done. They ... to draw up papers urging the passage of the bill ... as many signatures thereto as possible, and bring all possible influence to ... the Pennsylvania delegation. This ... set about at once. In the meantime Blaine began to labor with Keifer, Robeson and ... of the obstructionists who were determined to defeat the bill by points of order and rulings thereon. So ... the alarmed friends of protection he was successful. The programme was changed.

The cooperation of Randall and his following was, of course, secured. Indeed it may be ... that Randall had also been at work ... effect a combination which possibly might have overruled the speaker. As the ... parliamentarian on the floor Randall was to lead the fight. He was confident. Great skill and never failing ... are his strong points as a parliamentarian on the floor as well as in the chair. He might have succeeded, but the chances were against him.

The pressure brought to bear on the Pennsylvania delegation from the lobby was successful. This ... ... who were committed to the policy of ... fearing the bill because it was not satisfactory to the friends of high tariff joined the Pennsylvanians. Speaker Keifer and Robeson were convinced from the errors of their way and at the eleventh hour the passage of the bill by the adoption of the conference report was assured.

It will be seen therefore, that the ... tariff ... democrats ... drawn at the close of the last session of congress, ... the combination between the conservatives and the republicans to secure the ... of the tariff bill was made ... From that hour the struggle between the two factions for the organization of the present house began. It was intensified and ... to some extent affected by personal animosities. Mr. Hewitt and Mr. Morrison were ... hostile to Randall. There were ... ... but as the result showed these influences did not affect ... any considerable degree.

The republicans have practically taken their position on the taxation and ... be reduced. They at the same time admit that the revenue is largely in excess of the legitimate needs of the government. Mr. Blaine comes forward with a proposition to distribute the surplus among the states. His argument in effect is this: The republican party does not ... with the tariff. It dare not take the tax off whisky ... whisky cheap and ... ... blankets would not be an inspiring ... in 1884. The democrats won't repeal internal revenue taxes. ... what is ... with the surplus revenue?

The business interests of the country must not be disturbed. This is the corner stone of the republican platform for 1884. All other issues are ... to be raised in the manufacture of the bricks ... into the structure ... thereon ... to get up a race issue ... the supreme court of the United States ... but one democrat ... the bench ... decision ... civil rights bill ... constitutional and only one ... sectional question ... The people are apt to think that ... to have a united country twenty years ... enough to make ... apparent. There ... ... interests ... personal ... pretty apparent that ... parties are to be divided on geographical lines ... the ... national ... not parallels of latitude ... is a ... significance in the election of Mr. Carlisle ... the south ... northwest ... ... test ... in manifesting a tendency to ... so ... their interests and pool their issues.

I take it ... that the supreme question ... is ... Shall the business interests be disturbed? ... what if the business interests are ... disturbed? The republican leaders ... to ... the ... conservative ... their ... that ... of labor is merely ... It is ... the result of ... doctrine. There has been ... of ... it has ... It must have ... this time.

Perhaps it is ... for the ... informed and ... a correct ... on subjects of this kind. It cannot be claimed with positiveness that political economy is an exact science. Certain causes produce certain effects. Experience teaches this much. The cause must be known with exactitude before results can be predicted thereon. Granted that overproduction is the cause of the present business troubles, What is the cause of overproduction?

The masses are not metaphysical. They accept results as they do physical blows. They are out of employment. They want the necessaries of life. Why? Their employers have discharged them. Their employers are rich, they are poor. The employers have grown rich, they have consumed everything. There is something radically wrong. It would not be unnatural for them to assume that protection is for the capitalist and not the laborer, for the few and not the many.

If the general calamity comes when protection is at the highest notch it will be difficult to persuade the masses that their misfortunes are the result of something to happen in the future. When everybody is prosperous and contented when labor commands the highest wages and employment is assured the argument in favor of protection comes with some force. It will sound something like mockery to tell the starving workman that he is wanting food because the democrats propose to reform the tariff.

The immediate future, therefore, of our politics is resolved into a gamble—the republicans the bulls and the democrats bears.

If the general depression of business is merely temporary it will of course improve shortly. The chances of the success of the republican party will improve with the improved material condition of the country. If the times grow worse, the chances of democratic success will improve.

But are there no great principles involved in the issue? Yes, principles upon which the weal or woe of this country depend, but they are obscured. The leaders of neither party take them seriously into account. They will come ... into view some of these days, and many ... wonder thereat.

## THE REVISION OF THE BIBLE.

### Some of the Changes which have been Made in the Old Testament.

New York Times.

Although the revised edition of the old testament has not yet been published it is already known that the revisers have corrected a large number of mistakes—chiefly of the nature of mistranslations—which exist in the authorized version. Some of these corrections have been made public and they will somewhat surprise those people who have been accustomed to believe that the translators of King James' version shared the inspiration of the Hebrew writers.

The revisers have remorselessly deprived Joseph of his coat of many colors. For that ... piece of patch work popularly supposed to have been put together by Jacob himself in leisure moments is substituted "a tunic with long sleeves." This was doubtless a more serviceable garment but the disappearance of the coat of many colors robs the story of Joseph of a share of its picturesqueness and for that reason will be resented by the publishers of illustrated scripture stories for the young.

Tardy justice is done the hippopotamus by the revisers. Hitherto that well conducted beast has been represented as the most thirsty and conceited of animals. The authorized version says of him that "he drinketh up a river and hasteth not; he trusteth that he can draw up Jordan in his mouth." It was manifestly a poetic exaggeration to charge the hippopotamus with the habitual drinking up of an entire river but the assertion that the beast felt confident of his ability to draw up the Jordan into his mouth was equivalent to charging the hippopotamus with intense self conceit. It now appears that Job never used this objectionable language in regard to the hippopotamus. He merely said: "Though a river swells he is not alarmed; fearless though Jordan washes to his mouth." That is to say the hippopotamus is not in the least afraid of being drowned and hearty objection to ... facts which are as incontestible as they are creditable.

Many sermons have been preached upon the passage in which Isaiah is represented as speaking of "chariots with flaming torches" and the preachers have usually interpreted the passage as a prophetic description of the modern locomotive engine. No more sermons of this nature can be preached if the revised old testament becomes the authorized version for in it the passage in question reads "chariots with flashing steel." The woods which in Isaiah's time were full of satyrs and dragons have been entirely cleared of those undesirable beasts by the revisers and are now inhabited by harmless goats and noisy but innocuous jackals.

The nation scattered and peeled whose land the rivers have "spoiled" was certainly in a very wretched condition according to Isaiah's description. To be scattered and to have one's land spoiled is sufficiently objectionable, but to be ... peeled in addition and then placed at the mercy of ready made clothing merchants is more than any nation could bear. The revisers have done much for this hard used nation by turning it into a "nation tall and smooth whose land the rivers divide."

These samples of the work of the revisers will assure conservative people for they suggest that the revised old testament will differ from the authorized version much more widely than the revised new testament differed from its predecessor. If it is a better translation—as it doubtless is—it will make its way in time but there are people who will bitterly resent any change whatever in the sacred volume.

### Ruined by Politics

A Washington paper has a piece of gossip concerning a Kentucky man. A visitor was going through the bureau of engraving and printing, when an old man said: "This is hell." "What do you mean?" was asked. "I mean," said the old man with an oath, "that instead of my being here wheeling printers' rags at $1.50 per day I ought to be chief clerk in one of the departments. My name is John Ashford. I hail from Kentucky and when I struck Washington twenty years ago I wore a plug hat and a spike tail coat. I ... my old friend the late Senator Bogy and I was well fixed with money. I kept a store before I came near Lexington. I had a number of friends, and acting on their advice I went into politics. There's the whole secret of my downfall. My first false step was to sell out my business, come to Washington city and set up for a postmastership. The congressional delegation from my state, democrats and republicans welcomed me cordially and every thing looked lovely until I began to touch the bottom of my purse. I had lots of promises of positions in the meantime. My friends in congress could not make me a postmaster but were certain that they could secure me a clerkship and so things went along. I spending my money and hoping, until my last cent was gone and I became involved in debt for board and other things. In that desperate strait I went to Senator Bogy whom I had met frequently and he said to me, 'What position do you want?' I told him that I would take anything. The next day he had me appointed a laborer in this bureau and they set me to wheeling rags which interesting exercise I have been engaged in almost every day since. I have made one or two efforts to better my condition but being only a laborer now my former so-called friends cannot spare the time to do anything for me." Then rising and clutching the handles of his wheelbarrow he moved on adding, as he nodded: "Good day. As I said before, young man, this is hell. Don't you ever set up as an office seeker."

### The Same Man

... Cause.

The same man who ordered his advertisement out of his local paper in order to curtail expenses said to one of his help the other day: "I believe I'll have to reduce your wages, John." "What for?" was the query. "Because things are coming down. The necessaries of life are cheaper and you can afford to get along on cheaper pay." "I should like to know what necessaries of life are cheaper?" said John, "... flour hasn't dropped a cent, and coal is as dear as ever." And still ... to be turned away ... postage stamps have been reduced ...

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## TWO VIEWS OF THE UTAH PROBLEM.

An official apology for Mormonism, written by President John Taylor, appears in the January number of the *North American Review*, followed by an article written by Gov. Murray of Utah, in which ecclesiastical domination in that territory, with its attendant evil of polygamy, is strongly denounced, and in which congress is urged to take steps for extirpation of the evil by passing a law which shall vest full control of the territory in a council consisting of "thirteen discreet citizens of Utah," to be appointed by the president of the United States.

President Taylor, the successor of Brigham Young and the present "prophet" of Mormonism, writes in a tone of long-suffering and saintly innocence. Polygamy, he says, has been altogether misunderstood and misrepresented,—it is a supporter of virtue, not an instrument of vice; the "saints" are a patriotic and law-abiding people, and they are persecuted by an unscrupulous minority in the territory, led by demagogues, for private ends and personal aggrandizement. Every attempt to suppress by penal enactments the doctrine of "plural marriage" is not only an outrage upon a good people, but is destructive of the principles of republican liberty; for, as polygamy is a "sacrament" of the church, the attempt to punish it becomes religious persecution, and consequently violates the constitution of the United States. This is as fine reasoning as that urged by the confederates twenty years ago against the measures of the government to put down the rebellion.

In reply to the "prophet's" apology, it is well said that Mormonism is not simply a religious faith; it is a sort of social experiment as well. The "prophet" himself declares that one of its aims is to free his people from the social evils that infest monogamous communities. The religious principle claimed for Mormonism is then in fact only an adjunct of a social scheme. It does not appear, however, that the Mormons, with all the benefits of their system, are better socially or morally than other people. Nor are they more prosperous. This is good evidence that the institution has nothing to recommend it. "In plural marriage," says President Taylor, "a man is expected to provide for all his wives and their children." This will make the system undesirable to most men, since one wife and her children are all that ninety-nine men in one hundred can well support.

Governor Murray shows that the sovereignty of the church is held to be superior to that of the United States and even of the statutes which the Mormons themselves have passed through the legislature of their territory. The sovereignty of the church and that of the United States, he says, cannot both exist. "Designing men control ignorance which joined with fanaticism, rob the poor of the results of honest toil, womanhood of its chief adornment and inspire the souls of a confiding people in Utah with hate toward the people of the United States." In his argument for a council of thirteen to govern the territory he recalls the fact that the territory of Louisiana was so governed under an act of congress, and that under an ordinance passed in 1787 "for the government of the territory northwest of the Ohio river," it was provided that "the governor and judges, or a majority of them, should adopt and publish such laws, criminal and civil, as may be best suited to the circumstances," etc. The governor urges the application of this principle to Utah as a means of taking all power out of the hands of the Mormons, and thereby making it practicable to enforce in the territory the laws of the United States.

## SENATORIAL ELECTION IN OHIO.

One of the democratic issues in the late Ohio canvass was the defeat of Senator Pendleton for a second term, because of his advocacy of civil service reform. The Cincinnati *Enquirer* made this a paramount issue, and even Judge Thurman expressed his hope that the boys might have a chance to come in and warm their feet by the fires. To accomplish this defeat the *Enquirer* ring in Hamilton county has united with the Standard oil monopoly in Cleveland in support of Henry B. Payne, and it is probable that such a combination of political power will prevent the nomination of Senator Pendleton in the democratic caucus. In that event the republican members of the legislature will have an excellent opportunity to show their appreciation of a friend of reform by uniting with the Pendleton democrats in returning him to the senate. As the author of the Pendleton bill which the last congress was eager to make a law, he stands as the champion of civil service reform, and by the attitude of his enemies, as the opponent of ring rule and corporate power. The republicans have no hope of electing one of their own party, and they will make a great mistake if they permit the triumph of the "abhorrent forces" that are represented by Mr. Payne. The National Anti-Monopoly organization formed at Chicago on the Fourth of July last has issued a circular address to the democrats urging Mr. Payne's defeat, because his election to the United States senate "would be but clothing with an important trust the advocate, defender and apologist of the most insolent and oppressive monopoly of the age." The republican party is thoroughly committed to civil service reform, and it is in advance of the democratic party as the opponent of monopolies, though republicans, as a party, are yet behind the people on this great issue. The New York republicans in 1872 declared that "monopolies oppressing the people, or unfairly discriminating against local interests, are wrong in principle and ought not to be tolerated." President Arthur in his last message modestly set his sails to catch the rising breeze in a significant paragraph concerning the numerous complaints of the injustice and oppressing of "certain corporations." "We should remember," he says, "that no individual or corporation ought to be invested with absolute power over the interest of any other citizen or class of citizens," and that "congress should protect the people against acts of injustice which the state governments are powerless to prevent." The anti-monopoly party in the state of New York now has enrolled over 100,000 voters and its membership is constantly increasing. It elected a few members to the legislature last month and defeated several republicans and democrats who had taken the part of the railroads against the people in the last legislature. The republicans, so far as they have made a party declaration on the subject, have indorsed the principle of anti-monopoly. In the election of a senator in Ohio next month they will have an opportunity to do not only a right, but a very politic thing for themselves, and aid their brethren in other states.

In England there is more land lying idle in sporting grounds, game preserves and landlords' parks than the whole kingdom of Belgium, which supports in happiness and prosperity 6,000,000 people and sends large food exports to London. An income of $175,000,000 a year is received by 5842 landlords as rent of 46,500,000 acres of land. They do not work, but recall Carlyle's picture of the French marquis, perfumed and petted, who sat in his castle window, and watching a poor woman gathering nettles in the rain, received one nettle of three as his rent. If all England were cultivated as closely and as thoroughly as Jersey it would not only amply feed its present population, but 30,000,000 besides. So vast are its tracts of idle land, however, that $150,000,000 a year is sent out of England annually to buy food. It is with such arguments as these that the land hunger of the poorer English classes is sharpened by the leaders of the radical movement.

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## A PROPER PETITION.

Circulars are being sent to all parts of the state soliciting names to a petition to be presented to the legislature asking that body at its next session "to enact laws requiring instruction in physiology and hygiene, which shall give special prominence to the effects of alcoholic drinks, stimulants and narcotics upon the human system, in all schools supported by public money or under state control." Here is a practicable method of working against the evils produced by liquor drinking. There can be no question but that alcoholic drink in every form are injurious to the human system; and our schools ought to teach the fact with an emphasis proportioned to the danger that attends the use of these injurious stimulants. Against tobacco, too, which is second only to intoxicating liquors in its bad effects, the public schools ought to give continual warning. There is probably no way in which so much can be done for the cause of temperance reform as by that of inculcating these lessons in the schools. Let it be shown that the liquor habit and the tobacco habit are unphysiological and destructive to health, to morals, to life. This lesson, impressed daily on the minds of children, and enforced through authoritative text-books, can not but bear fruit. What parent would object to having his children so taught? Even the members of the free whisky association of Portland—such of them as have children—would find their parental instinct asserting itself here, even over their master passion of avarice. We hope the petition will be pressed in all parts of the state, so that a multitude of names will be affixed to it when it goes to the legislature in January, 1885.

By a vote of nearly two to one the house of representatives at Washington, on the 19th of the present month, adopted a resolution for creation of a committee on the liquor traffic. The action is significant, because it very fairly "gives the pulse" of the popular sentiment on a great question of the day. It is a theory that the representatives of the people are also their leaders in political opinion and in public reforms. But as a matter of fact the people are the leaders nine times in ten, and the representatives rarely move into new paths until the backing and the pushing of popular sentiment are felt behind them.

This "new departure" of a democratic house of representatives in the interest of temperance confirms the general truth of the proposition that the people lead. Local societies and cities and states have long and earnestly striven to "show up" the full extent of the growing whisky curse in this country. But they have been hampered and have met but indifferent success because necessarily their efforts have been fragmentary, and have lacked the elements of system and intelligent co-operation. Societies which were the pioneers in the temperance movement, learned that they must enlist municipal assistance. The work when it had thus far advanced, discovered that state legislative help was called for; and when at last some states were enlisted the workers for this reform became convinced that the movement must take on a national character before permanent and nation-wide good could result. And at last in modern fashion the national legislature has been asked to give countenance to an effort which aims to purge the country somewhat of its overshadowing curse of drunkenness. The appeal has not been repulsed, but by a very decisive vote has been heeded. The action of the house will have the undoubted sanction of the senate. The creation of this congressional committee on the liquor traffic means that the evil is to be investigated systematically and fully, and the results placed before the people. It is not a sign that any form of sumptuary legislation is to be attempted. It only means that the sturdy temperance men and women have at last compelled the national recognition of intemperance as a national evil, to which such remedies must be applied as judgment and experience may suggest as best for the purposes desired. The remedies may come either through state or national action, or both. Among the least of all suggestions is that of educational effort, like that proposed by the Oregon petition. And the report of the congressional committee, when it comes, cannot but be a powerful contribution to the formation of sentiment against the evils of the traffic, and thereby it will help to the enactment and maintenance of restrictive laws. The growth of sentiment in the direction of this reform is very apparent. And as this sentiment grows and deepens, it will make itself effective through more and more stringent enactments. There will be steady approach towards extinguishment of the traffic through extinguishment of the demand. Prohibition of the most effective kind is that which comes not through legislative enactments, but through the enlightenment and moral growth of the people. A step towards this result is to make drink as costly as possible to the consumer. Hence congress must maintain the liquor tax. The force of public opinion is seen in the fact that congress dare not now take off a tax that levies one hundred million dollars a year on the profits of the liquor trade. We cannot as yet suppress the business, but we can make it pay heavily for the right to exist. The practicable way to reform is to make it more and more costly, as time goes on, and public opinion inclines that way, by means of taxation and various restrictive enactments, not forgetting at any time the physiological and moral arguments against it. The evils of drink are so many and so grave that they ought to be pressed and besieged at all times, and from all sides. Sound education will do more than any other agency whatever in putting the monster of intemperance down.

It undoubtedly has a good influence upon New England people and people of New England descent to have their attention often called to the virtues of their forefathers. There are few days so important in the history of humanity as that on which the Pilgrim Fathers landed at Plymouth. On that day, as Bancroft says, "democratic liberty and independent religious worship started into being." In the compact which they signed in the cabin of the Mayflower there were the seminal ideas out of which the liberties of America have grown. Their equality before God led them logically to believe in an equality of citizenship. They have exerted a greater influence upon politics than upon the religion of the country. They were great politicians. They esteemed nothing "common or unclean" in which human interests are involved. They made politics a part of their religion. They are often accused of narrowness and parsimony. But if they exacted the half-cent when it was due to them they insisted upon giving it to the other man when it was his due, and they paid their debts. After the close of the Pequot war the debt of the colony was more than the entire personal property within its limits. But they did not repudiate it, nor readjust it—the latest name for larceny—but they paid every cent of it. The more their lives are examined the more honorable they appear.

The New York *Tribune* has been unjustly charged with trying to get even with the *Times*, which vastly strengthened itself with the people by its exposure of the abominations of the Tweed ring, by an exposure of gross frauds in the improvement of the streets of that city. The latest development in this serial on this subject is that, previous to the election of 1881, men were paid $2 a day for doing nothing but to report at the department each morning, and that after election they were paid $56 each and discharged. It is insinuated that the senate investigation into the New York department of public works was "suppressed" shortly after this evidence was taken by the committee.

A holiday annual has been published, setting forth the educational advantages offered at Pacific university and Tualatin academy, at Forest Grove. There is no more delightful locality and no better school.

The plan for making the general government pay the slaves of Texas on the ground of certain provisions of the act admitting the state into the Union, having fallen through Governor Ireland declaring it to be "a piece of unadulterated foolishness," a man by the name of H. H. Carlton of Georgia has broached another equally foolish scheme that the government should appropriate the surplus revenue for the payment of slaves. He advises all southerners who are credulous enough to accept his cheerful views to preserve a record of their former slaves.

Mr. Herbert Spencer has furnished some welcome aid to people who are trying to get along "without God in the world." Yet in the *Popular Science* he gives an exposition of his own religious belief which can afford them but little comfort. He says that man is "ever in the presence of an Infinite and Eternal Energy, from which all things proceed." If he had "spelled it right" the orthodox would have no occasion to criticise his statement.

The great improvement in the personal habits of senators and members of congress within the last twenty-five years is said to be largely owing to the newspapers. If a senator or member makes a spectacle of himself by public drunkenness the fact is soon published in all parts of the country and when the state or district he represents hears that it has been disgraced, it soon begins to talk of sending a different representative to Washington.

Frank Hatton, assistant postmaster general, is, we believe, from the state of Iowa. There are said to be some republicans in that state who want to vindicate ex-Secretary Belknap by running him for congress next fall. The republican majority is not incapable of reduction even in Iowa, and the way to reduce it is so plain that a wayfaring man, though a fool, need not err therein.

## BROUGHT TO BAY.

### One of the Sweet Family of Bonesetters Sued for Malpractice.

James Warren, of Stafford, Tolland county, Connecticut, has sued one of the noted "Dr. Sweets," of Lebanon, for malpractice in setting a broken limb. The case will speedily come to trial, and the damages are laid at a high figure. The defendants belong to the famous family of "natural bone-setters," of which the late Dr. Jonathan R. Sweet, of this city, was a member. Years ago Dr. Stephen Sweet, of Lebanon, was called upon by those suffering with fractured bones from far and near for relief. He had a really marvelous gift for setting misplaced bones. He was a heavy, powerful and strong-armed man, and after placing his hands over the injured part he could at once detect the trouble and repair it in the twinkling of an eye. It is related of him that while on a journey he once stopped over night in New York city and was attacked upon the street by a party of three footpads. He dismounted with the rapidity of lightning, and seizing the first that came to hand, hurled him to the ground, twisting his arms as he did so and leaving him prone on the sidewalk with both his arms out of joint. To the second he threw a leg out and to the third both an arm and a leg. The fellows lay writhing and cursing in their pain, and after letting them suffer for a spell the sedate humorist slipped their joints back into place and let them go.

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GIRL WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GOOD COOK and to help in housework; good wages. Call between 10 A. M. and 3 P. M., 321 Ninth, corner Clay.

WANTED—SITUATION [illegible] by young woman of experience. Address S. E. C., care P. O. Box 37.

### WANTED—EMPLOYMENT.

WANTED—ENGAGEMENT BY AN ACTIVE business man [illegible]

WANTED—SITUATIONS [illegible] TO DO WORK of all kinds. Persons wanting help please call. MRS. M. E. [illegible]

### AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED TO CANVASS FOR STAR books. Apply at J. K. GILL & CO.'S, 73 First st.

AGENTS' ATTENTION IS CALLED TO [illegible]

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1857.

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FOOT RESTS, OTTOMANS,
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1883.

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**Jeweler's Opera Glasses,**

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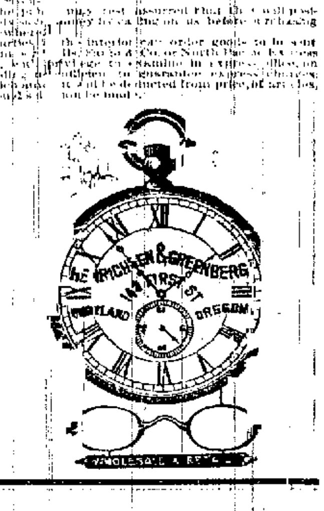

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265 Second St., bet. Salmon and Main.

Has received a full assortment of Chinese and Japanese Fancy Goods, Lacquered Ware, China Ware, [illegible], and all kinds of Silks, Embroidered Handkerchiefs and Screens; also manufacturers of Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Gents' Shirts, etc. Retail at wholesale prices. QUAN ON WOM CO.

### TO LET—ROOMS.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR gentlemen; also rooms suitable for housekeeping, desirably located. No. 11, corner F and A sts.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] new house [illegible] everything [illegible] Respectable people only need apply.

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TO RENT—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED suite [illegible] northwest corner of [illegible] and North Third streets [illegible] MRS. [illegible]

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All property for sale. WELCH & CO., Stark street.

[illegible]

TO LET—UNFURNISHED [illegible]

[illegible] FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT [illegible]

FOR RENT—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED AND [illegible]

THE [illegible] STORY [illegible] BARGAIN [illegible]

[illegible]

BALDWIN LODGING HOUSE ROOMS FOR rent by the day, week or month [illegible]

A FINE LARGE HANDSOME ROOM, WITH USE OF [illegible]

[illegible]

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET IN THAT [illegible] new brick, corner First and Main [illegible]

### ROOMS AND BOARD.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board [illegible] Taylor street, corner Park [illegible]

ROOMS AND BOARD—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED front rooms [illegible] single rooms [illegible] with excellent board [illegible]

FOR RENT—SECOND FLOOR OF STORE NO. 128 [illegible] 25x100, comprising [illegible] rooms [illegible] Inquire of [illegible]

TO PHYSICIANS—OFFICES TO LET IN THE [illegible] building, First and [illegible] Apply to [illegible] KANE, 30 First street.

### TO LET—HOUSES AND STORES.

FOR RENT—ONE-STORY BRICK BUILDING [illegible] corner Fifth and [illegible] suitable for stores. Apply to R. W. BINGHAM, over First National Bank.

FOR RENT—HOUSE [illegible] Eighth st., bet. Salmon and Main. Inquire [illegible] W. H. [illegible]

FOR RENT—AN EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE [illegible] at JOHN [illegible], N. W. cor. First and Oak.

PART OF HOUSE TO LET [illegible] FURNITURE FOR sale; a bargain if applied for soon. [illegible]

FOR RENT—LODGING HOUSE OF [illegible] ROOMS [illegible] for sale [illegible] business [illegible] Inquire of [illegible] Savings Bank.

FOR RENT—[illegible] STORES JUST COMPLETED [illegible] with hydraulic elevator [illegible] every [illegible] and [illegible] good for wholesale business [illegible] For particulars inquire of FRED. [illegible]

### BALLS AND PARTIES.

**GRAND CHRISTMAS BALL**
GIVEN BY THE
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At Academy Hall, cor. Second & Salmon
FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 28, 1883.
Tickets [illegible] One Dollar.
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**BOOKS.**

I have received a large and beautiful assortment of Juvenile and Fine Gift Books for the Holidays, and will sell the same at very low prices. BOOKS that have usually sold for $10.00 I will sell for $7.50. Books for which you have previously paid $5.00 will be sold for $3.75. Books formerly $2.00 down to $1.50, and a large line of Books for Boys and Girls which you have never bought for less than $1.50 I will sell for $1.00 each. My line of Baby Books cannot be excelled. My well selected stock of Family Bibles, Photograph Albums, Gold Pens, Scrap Books, Prayer Books, Hymnals and

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SILKS,
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Drums, Music Boxes,
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Manufacturers and Dealers in the Celebrated
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Also Dealers in
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FOR SALE—A SAWMILL AND A VALUABLE water power, with eighty acres of land on [illegible] creek, one mile from Cowlitz river. For particulars, address James [illegible], [illegible], W. T.

$500—BEST SALOON IN THE BEST neighborhood of business [illegible] for sale in consequence of sickness; health broken down by too much business; well worth double the price asked. WELCH & CO., Stark street.

$400—BOARDING HOUSE; NICELY FURNISHED; always full; pays well. WELCH & CO., Stark street.

$3000—BEST RESTAURANT IN THIS CITY for sale on account of departure [illegible] WELCH & CO., Stark street.

FOR SALE—A FIRST CLASS MILLINERY [illegible] MRS. S. J. [illegible], Dayton, W. T.

FOR SALE—A COUNTRY STORE IN THIS [illegible] CHAMBERS, room 8, Ainsworth block, city.

FOR SALE—[illegible] AND [illegible] W. A. WELLS, Corvallis, Or.

FOR SALE—WAREHOUSE SITUATED CORNER [illegible] Apply to C. M. [illegible] & CO.

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FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST FARMS IN Oregon, located in Yamhill county, two miles from Dayton, on the Yamhill river, boats passing every day to the wharf, consisting of [illegible] acres, [illegible] acres of which is under cultivation, balance easily cleared; good improvements, etc. I will sell the above cheap and on easy terms. Apply at L. DEILSCHNEIDER, cor. [illegible] and Stark streets, Portland.

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FOR SALE—[illegible] ACRES TIMBER LAND IN Oregon, containing, by estimate of good judges, [illegible] feet of lumber, twenty miles from Portland and one mile from Columbia river; all of which will be sold cheap if applied for soon. [illegible] Address J. R. [illegible], East Portland, Or. 21d

$850—LOT IN SOUTH PORTLAND, FENCED and graded; a bargain. Inquire of A. H. [illegible], No. [illegible] First street.

FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE, 5 LOTS IN THIS city and East Portland. Inquire "A. B.," this office.

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W. G. JENNE & CO., ASSAYERS, NO. 4 WASHINGTON street, next to the Standard office.

MADAME ROZARIE, FORTUNE TELLER, from the East, Arlington house.

A YOUNG LADY WISHES TO GIVE PRIVATE lessons on the piano [illegible] Special attention to beginners [illegible] a lesson. [illegible] Morrison street.

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MRS. WHARTON, HAIR DOCTRESS, CURES all diseases of the hair and catarrh; large experience in Europe and San Francisco; handsome stock of hair goods, bangs, curls and waves made to order and cut in the [illegible] style; wigs loaned and sold. [illegible] Morrison st.

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SIGNAL ALPHABET FOR LONG DISTANCES by day or night; learned in a few hours; instructions sent by mail for three 2-cent stamps. Address JOHN CHENOWETH, 275 K street, Portland, Or.

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GRADUATE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO.
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ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
Room 5, Dekum's Building.
Infringement suits conducted, and other legal business pertaining to letters patent for inventions.

### SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE—ANY ONE HAVING CLAIMS against Andrew Pederson, of Platula, a Russian sailor, who is supposed to have drowned Oct. 29, 1883, from the steamer Toledo, in this city, must present them within thirty days at the Russian Vice Consulate, 28 Alder st. GUSTAF WILSON, Vice Consul of Russia.

ATTENTION, B. [illegible] BATTERY—YOU ARE hereby notified to attend a special meeting to be held at the armory on Saturday evening, Dec. 29, at 7:30 sharp; also on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 30, at 1:30. By order of the commandant. CAPT. ADAMS. [illegible], First Sergeant.

NOTICE—I HAVE THIS DAY PLACED MY books in the hands of D. N. Barrett, Stark st., Portland, Or., who is duly authorized to collect outstanding accounts and receipt for the same. All persons indebted to me are hereby notified to pay immediately, and save costs of collection by law. P. O. box No. [illegible]. T. [illegible]
Portland, Or., December [illegible], 1883.

THE NATIONAL LIBERAL LEAGUE OF PORTLAND, Oregon, holds regular meetings every Sunday at Nonpareil Hall at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and at 7 o'clock in the evening. Admission free.

### WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

MELLIS BROS. & CO., FANCY DRY GOODS and [illegible], No. 75 Front St.

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FOSTER & ROBERTSON, AGENTS FOR BUHLE Bros.' U. S. Standard Scales; every scale warranted by us. 88 and 90 Front street.

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Provision & Produce Commission Merchant
132 Front street.
Offers for sale to arrive:

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| 50 | Tons | Oats |
| 20 | " | Rolled Barley |
| 10 | " | Chop Feed |
| 10 | " | Middlings |
| 20 | " | Bran |
| 10 | " | Oil Meal |

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ON CENTRAL WHARF, between Alder and Washington streets, one of the most central warehouses in the city; 35 feet water front. STORAGE SOLICITED for grain and general merchandise. F. H. PAGE, 132 Front st.

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**R. C. JANION & SON,**
Portland, Or.,
Importers & Commission Merchants
Receive constant shipments of
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(Successors to Rodgers, Meyer & Co.) Portland, Or.,
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Band and All Kinds of Musical Instruments,
Wholesale and Retail, on Easy Installments.

**DECKER & SON**
**PIANOS**
WITH NEW
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Beware of unscrupulous dealers, who, on account of our long established reputation, the great improvements that we have made from time to time, the high state of excellence that we have attained in our manufactures, and the unqualified indorsements and testimonials that we have received from the most eminent musicians of the country, endeavor to palm off other instruments bearing a similar name for genuine DECKER & SON PIANOS.

**Decker & Son,**
THE ORIGINAL MANUFACTURERS.
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H. SINSHEIMER, 31 Yamhill street, bet. First and Second, Sole Agent; also for Mason & Hamlin Organs.

**"THE PILGRIM FATHERS"**
CAN BE FOUND AT
**THE PILGRIM,**
107 Washington st., bet. Fifth and Sixth.

Where the [illegible] GROCERIES are [illegible]

**G. M. SIMON;** The Only French Candy Factory in the City.

M. G. M. SIMON IS THE FIRST AND ONLY [illegible] of Chocolate Bonbons, [illegible] Sweet [illegible] etc. His [illegible] years experience in the employ of the [illegible] material will [illegible]
92 Washington st., near Fifth.

**WHAT IS IT?**

CANDLE FISH, or OOLACHAN is a species of fish similar to smelt. It has a rich, delicious flavor, and all who try it pronounce it superior to the sardines. It is smoked and unguarded and packed in hermetically sealed cans. Although a novelty, it has met with large sales. All who have not tasted Candle Fish should do so at once.

FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS.

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**GILMAN & CO.,**
AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS
No. 42 First st., bet. Pine and Ash.

AUCTION SALES OF REAL ESTATE, FURNITURE, General Merchandise, Horses, Cattle, Buggies, etc. REGULAR SALE DAYS—Tuesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock A. M.

**SPECIAL AUCTION SALE**
OF
**HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE**
We will sell the Entire Furniture of Residence at No. 124 Sixth street, next the corner of Washington st.,
THURSDAY, DEC. 27, 1883,
At 10 A. M.
Comprising
Bedroom Furniture, Carpets, Bedding, Crockery, Cutlery, Stoves, Lamps, Bureaus, Tables, Stands, [illegible] Bedroom Sets, Chairs, Mirrors, Mattresses, Brussels Carpets, etc., etc.
GILMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

**T. J. O'CONNOR,**
Auctioneer & Commission Merchant
First and Pine.
Monday and Thursday, Furniture & Mdse. sale.
Wednesday, Real Estate Sale.
Saturday, Tattersalls Sale.

**AUCTIONEER AND APPRAISER.**

S. FRIEDMAN, AUCTIONEER & APPRAISER for city or country, will buy and sell Real Estate, Merchandise, Household Goods and General Stores. Advances made. Address 27 W. Park st., Portland.

**SPECIAL AUCTION SALE**
OF
**Valuable Business Property**
I will sell on the premises, cor. Third and Washington sts., by order and per act of the First Presbyterian Church,
ON MONDAY, DEC. 31, 1883,
At 2 o'clock P. M.,
Lots Numbered Three (3) and Four (4) in Block Numbered 42.

These VALUABLE BUSINESS LOTS are situated in one of the best business locations in the city of Portland. Title perfect.

Terms—one-fourth cash, one-fourth in three months, one-fourth in six months, balance in nine months; interest at rate of six (6) per cent. per annum. If, however, the purchaser of this property is willing for the church to remain on the lots, no interest will be charged on deferred payments as long as the church occupies the property.
20d A. B. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

### ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS.

H. W. & T. H. OGILEE,
CIVIL ENGINEERS AND DRAUGHTSMEN
Special Attention given to City Work.
Office Room 2, Ainsworth Block, Third and Oak sts.

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MILLER & WEST—G. C. MILLER, W. H. WEST, commission merchants in general and dairy produce, 121 Front st., between Washington and Stark.

S. GOLDMAN & CO., COMMISSION & PRODUCE merchants, 124 Front street, Portland, Or.

TAYLOR, YOUNG & CO., SHIP BROKERS & Commission merchants; agents for Columbia river Candle Fish; 16 North Front street.

ABRAHAM, HIRSTEL & CO., COMMISSION merchants, 2 and 4 N. Front st., Portland, Or.

G. COHN & BRO., 17 FRONT STREET, FARM and country produce a specialty.

ALLEN & LEWIS, COMMISSION AND PRODUCE Merchants, cor. N. Front and D Sts., Portland, Oregon.

C. CÆSER & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS and dealers in wheat and wool. No. 18 North Front street, Portland, Or.

GIBSON, CHURCH & CO., SHIPPING AND Commission Merchants; specialties wheat, flour, salmon, grain bags, etc., N. W. cor Front and Ankeny, Portland, Or.

### WHOLESALE GROCERS.

ABRAHAM, HIRSTEL & CO., WHOLESALE grocers, 2 and 4 N. Front street, Portland, Or.

ALLEN & LEWIS, WHOLESALE GROCERS, corner N. Front and D sts., Portland, Or.

CORBITT & MACLEAY, WHOLESALE GROCERS and Commission Merchants, 64 and 66 Front street, Portland.

McCRAKEN & MASON, WHOLESALE GROCERS and Commission Merchants, 60 to 64 North Front street, Portland.

WADHAMS & ELLIOTT, WHOLESALE GROCERS, Forwarding and Commission Merchants, Nos. 4 and 6 Front street, Portland, Or.

### GUNPOWDER.

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., AGENTS CAL. POWDER Works, Front, First and Vine sts., Portland, Or.

CORBETT, FAILING & CO., AGENTS FOR DUPONT'S Gunpowder, 81 and 83 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

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KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., WHOLESALE FARM machinery and dealers in agricultural implements, farm and spring wagons, buggies, carriages, etc.; portable and stationary engines; saw mills and grist mill machinery a specialty; rubber and leather belting.

GEO. W. WATERHOUSE, JR., PRACTICAL MILLwright and Mill Builder. Gradual Reduction and Roller Mills a specialty; general agents for all kinds of Flouring Mills Machinery; Salem, Or.

H. P. GREGORY & CO., NO. 5 N. FRONT ST., bet. A and B, importers and dealers in all kinds of machinery; saw mills a specialty.

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., SOLE AGENTS BUCKeye Mower and Reaper, Canton Pitt's Thresher, Haines' Header, Schuttler Wagons; Front, First, Vine sts.

J. HONEYMAN & CO., MAKERS OF ENGINES, Boilers, Grist and Sawmills, Iron Fronts, Iron Castings, etc. Front st., bet. Columbia and Clay.

JOS. WAGNER & CO., FLOURING MILLS EXclusively. All kinds of flouring mill machinery. No. 24 N. Front St. See circular.

### CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

WILZINSKI BROS. & CO., WHOLESALE dealers in fine cigars, 145 Front street, Portland; branch of Sideman, Lachman & Co., San Francisco.

### MANTELS AND CHANDELIERS.

FOSTER & ROBERTSON—MARBLEIZED IRON and slate mantels; agents for Mitchell, Vance & Co.'s gas fixtures; 88 and 90 Front st., Portland.

### LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

BRADLEY & DOHENY, 109 FRONT STREET, between Washington and Stark streets, Leather and Findings, Shoe Store, Supplies, Belting, Hose, etc.

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GEORGE L. HIBBARD & CO., WHOLESALE boots and shoes. No. 65 Front St., Portland.

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P. J. CRONIN, IMPORTER AND MANUFACTURER; 38 Front. Country orders solicited.

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THOMPSON, DeHART & CO., HARDWARE, Iron and Steel, Carriage and Wagon Material, Domestic and Blacksmiths' Coal, corner First and Yamhill streets, Portland, Oregon.

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And Ready for Business on and after This Date.
My stock consists of a choice selection of
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Candies and Nuts, Wooden and Willow Ware, Crockery, Tobacco and Cigars, Pipes and Stationery, and all kinds of merchandise.
Wines and Liquors for Family Use Only.
Which I will deliver free of charge to any part of the city. Please leave your orders either with the wagon or at the store, cor. Lincoln and Sixth sts.
24d1f L. DIELSCHNEIDER.

**CATARRH!**
Those suffering from this disease and wishing to be
**CURED**
Can obtain immediate relief and a permanent cure by the use of my specialty.
Hours from 9 to 12 and from 2 to 7.
sd1m A. SECORD, Clarendon Hotel.

**NOTICE.**

The undersigned, one of the late firm of S. G. SKIDMORE & CO., Druggists, 151 First st., having succeeded to the business, good will, etc., of said firm, wishes to announce that he will continue said business under the old firm name. The care and accuracy in dispensing, which have in past years made the house deservedly popular, will be maintained and the patronage of the former public is respectfully invited.
[illegible] CHARLES E. SITTON.

Established 1851.
*Hodge, Davis & Co.*
*Importing*
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[illegible] OF REAL ESTATE, FURNI[illegible] Horses, Cattle [illegible] SALE DAYS—Tuesday and [illegible]

AUCTION SALE

OF

[illegible]LD FURNITURE

[illegible] Furniture of Residence [illegible] Six h street, next the [illegible] of Washington st.,

[illegible]AY, DEC 27, 1883,

[illegible] A M

[illegible]LMAN & CO Auctioneers.

[illegible]. O'CONNOR,

Commission Merchan[illegible]

[illegible] First and Pine.

[illegible] Produce, Furniture & Mdse. sales. [illegible] Estate Sale.

[illegible]ER AND APPRAISER.

[illegible] AUCTIONEER & APPRAISER [illegible] Real Estate, [illegible] Goods and General Stocks. [illegible] Address 27 W. Park st. Portland. [illegible]

AUCTION SALE

OF

Business Property

[illegible] premises, cor. Third and [illegible], by order and per sec't [illegible] Presbyterian Church,

[illegible]DAY, DEC 31, 1883,

[illegible] 3 o'clock P M.,

[illegible] Three 3) and Four 4) [illegible] Block Numbered 47.

[illegible] BUSINESS LOTS and situate [illegible] business locations in the city of [illegible]

[illegible] cash and fourth in three months, [illegible] months balance in [illegible] with [illegible] per cent per annum. [illegible] the lots no interest will be [illegible] payments as long as the church [illegible]

[illegible]ICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

[illegible]CTS AND ENGINEERS.

[illegible] & T. H. OGILBE,

[illegible]EERS AND DRAUGHTSMEN [illegible] given to City Work. [illegible] Block. Third and Oak sts.

[illegible]SSION MERCHANTS.

[illegible] MILLER W. H. WEST, [illegible] and dairy pro[illegible] between Washington and Stark.

[illegible] & CO. COMMISSION & PRODUCE [illegible] Front street, Portland Or [illegible]

[illegible] & CO SHIP BROKERS & [illegible] agents for Columbia [illegible] North Front street

[illegible] & CO COMMISSION [illegible] Front st Portland O[illegible]

[illegible] FRONT STREET FARM [illegible] produce a specialty.

[illegible] COMMISSION AND PRO[illegible] N Front and D sts.

[illegible] COMMISSION MERCHANTS [illegible] and wool. No 30 N [illegible]

[illegible] & CO SHIPPING AND [illegible] merchants, specialties wheat, flour, [illegible] W cor Front and Ash sts.

[illegible]LESALE GROCERS.

[illegible] & CO WHOLESALE [illegible] Front street, Portland Or

[illegible] WHOLESALE GROCERS [illegible] Portland, O [illegible]

[illegible] WHOLESALE GRO[illegible] Merchants 64 and 66 Front [illegible]

[illegible] WHOLESALE GRO[illegible] Merchants, 60 to 64 N [illegible]

[illegible] WHOLESALE GRO[illegible] Merchants, [illegible] Portland Or [illegible]

[illegible]GUNPOWDER.

[illegible] & CO AGENTS CAL POWDER [illegible] First and Vine sts. Portland [illegible]

[illegible] & CO AGENTS FOR DU[illegible] powder 81 and 83 Front street, Port[illegible]

[illegible]D FARM MACHINERY.

[illegible] & CO, WHOLESALE FARM [illegible] in agricultural imple[illegible] buggies carriages [illegible] engines saw mills and [illegible] specialty rubber and leather [illegible]

[illegible] TRACTION ENGINES [illegible] Reduction and [illegible] agents for all kinds [illegible] Machinery Salem Or

[illegible] & CO [illegible] FRONT ST. [illegible] importers and dealers in all kinds [illegible] specialty

[illegible] & CO., [illegible] AGENTS BUCK[illegible] Repair [illegible] Threshers [illegible] Wagons [illegible]

[illegible] & CO [illegible] MAKERS OF ENGINES [illegible] and [illegible] Iron [illegible]

[illegible] & CO FLOURING MILLS [illegible] kinds of flouring mill machinery [illegible] See circular

[illegible]RS AND TOBACCO.

[illegible] & CO WHOLESALE [illegible] cigars 145 Front street Portland [illegible] Lachman & Co. San Francisco.

[illegible]S AND CHANDELIERS.

[illegible]ROBERTSON—MARBLEIZED [illegible] agents for Mitchell Vance & [illegible] 80 Front st. Portland. [illegible]

[illegible]HER AND FINDINGS.

[illegible] DORSEY, 109 FRONT STREET [illegible] Washington and Stark streets, Leather [illegible] Store Supplies, Belting, Hose, etc

[illegible]ALE BOOTS AND SHOES.

[illegible] HIBBARD & CO, WHOLESALE [illegible] N [illegible] Front st. Portland.

[illegible]ESS AND SADDLERY.

[illegible] IMPORTER AND MANUFACTURER. Country orders solicited.

[illegible]ARE, IRON AND STEEL.

[illegible] & CO HARDWARE [illegible] Carriage and Wagon Material [illegible] corner First and [illegible] Portland Oregon

[illegible] & CO, IMPORTERS AND [illegible] First and Vine streets Portland, [illegible]

[illegible] & CO IMPORTERS AND [illegible] Front street, Portland, [illegible]

[illegible] ROBERTSON IMPORTERS AND [illegible] Front street, Portland, [illegible]

[illegible]ST OPENED

[illegible] Business on and after Tuesday [illegible] consisting of a choice selection of

[illegible]and Staple Family

[illegible]eries, Vegetables,

[illegible] Wooden and Willow Ware, Crockery, [illegible] Cigars, Pipes and Stationery [illegible] all kinds of merchandise in [illegible] liquors for Family Use Only. [illegible] free of charge to any part of the [illegible] your orders either with [illegible] Lincoln and Sixth sts.

[illegible] L. DIELSCHNEIDER.

[illegible]ATARRH!

[illegible] from this disease and wishing to [illegible] CURED

[illegible] immediate relief and a permanent cure [illegible] specialty

[illegible] 9 to 12 and from 2 to 7. [illegible] A. SECOND, Clarendon Hotel

NOTICE.

[illegible] signed one of the late firm of [illegible] HODGE & CO, Druggists, 151 [illegible] having succeeded to the business [illegible] of said firm, wishes to announce [illegible] he will continue said business [illegible] firm name. The care and [illegible] attention which have in past years [illegible] deservedly popular, will be [illegible] and the patronage of the general [illegible] respectfully invited.

[illegible] CHARLES E. SITTON.

Establ. Feb. 1851

[illegible], Davis & Co.

Importing

[illegible]lesale Druggists

[illegible]

[illegible] and 94 Front Street,

[illegible] Co. Stark

[illegible]tland, Oregon.

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# The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, DEC 28 1883

## METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND Dec 27 7 17 P M.

| [illegible] Barom | Height of | Change last 8 Hours | The | Wind Direction | Rain fall of inches | State of weath |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] | 29 90 | —01 | 42 | S | | Clear |
| [illegible] | 30 03 | 04 | 40 | E | | Fair |

[illegible] ther 44 minimum ther 40

## THE OREGONIAN IN THE EAST

[illegible] can be seen at the following places [illegible]—S. C. Beckwith [illegible] Tribune Building [illegible] THE IMMIGRANT [illegible] [illegible] Lord & Thomas McCormick block [illegible]—N W Ayer & Son [illegible]

[illegible]—Public Library
[illegible] D. C.—Library of Congress
[illegible]—Pioneer Press office [illegible]

[illegible]—Offices of Portland Advertisers
[illegible]—Pettingill & Sons [illegible] st
[illegible]—Coegler & Co's

[illegible] Annual Review to appear next [illegible] morning, will contain more information [illegible] Oregon and Washington than has ever [illegible] been issued in a single publication. It will [illegible] in every detail respecting the business [illegible] and the general progress of the country [illegible] contain full descriptive articles of every [illegible] of the northwest. An edition of 30,000 will [illegible] Advertisers should secure space at once [illegible] would secure good locations.

## AUCTION SALE TO-DAY.

[illegible] consignments at Gilman & Co's this [illegible] at 10 A M

## CITY.

[illegible] Food Salmon are Appreciated—The [illegible] steel head salmon had been [illegible] New York was noticed by The Oregonian [illegible] time since and the idea that these [illegible] fish were to be sold as Columbia river [illegible]. They appear however to have [illegible] at the east as the following from the [illegible] Tribune of December 16 seems to indicate [illegible] shipment of Columbia river salmon which [illegible] in a refrigerator car in seven days [illegible] Northern Pacific railroad, is selling in Fulton [illegible] fifty cents a pound. This the dealers [illegible] the beginning of cheap and popular prices [illegible] such prized fish. Some fresh caught [illegible] in the mackerel nets near Cape Cod [illegible] at 60 a pound. "Great Chinook" just [illegible] steel heads selling for fifty cents a pound [illegible] Yorkers must go more upon the name than [illegible] of fish, as the article goes on to say [illegible] of fish is obtainable at present in the [illegible] Cod are plentiful, but haddock are scarce [illegible] each cost eight cents a pound [illegible] brings twenty five cents, fresh mackerel [illegible], sheepshead northern black bass and [illegible] whitefish can be had for twenty [illegible] dressed eels white perch red snapper [illegible] pickerel for eighteen cents a pound [illegible] mackerel, black bass, etc, can be had [illegible] cents per pound a man must be wild to [illegible] for steel head salmon. One is led to [illegible] how much the genuine Chinook salmon will [illegible] that royal fish appears in the New York [illegible] spring. And, since markets are the [illegible] the following from the Tribune in regard [illegible] may be of interest to those who find [illegible] Oregon farmers because cabbage, lettuce, [illegible] here at certain seasons. "Vegetables [illegible] begun to come from the south to supply [illegible] of the northern gardens. Charleston [illegible] for $1 a dozen. The importation of [illegible] is not confined to what comes from the [illegible] for there are Jerusalem artichokes [illegible] that cost fifteen cents a quart and [illegible] sprouts that sell for twenty five cents a [illegible] Bermuda radishes at five cents a bunch and [illegible] at ten cents a quart are also novelties."

[illegible]—By the steamer Idaho, which [illegible] in Puget sound waters there came a [illegible] United States marshal in charge of a prisoner [illegible] who had been brought all the way from [illegible], at which place he had killed a man [illegible] they reached this city yesterday [illegible]. The prisoner, whose name is Patrick [illegible] immediately turned over to the care of [illegible] Marshal Kearney who lodged him in [illegible] at the city jail. Although Keith is kept [illegible] custody there is a reasonable doubt as [illegible] indicted for murder. The man who was [illegible] William Morton, a ship's yeoman on board [illegible] government steamer Adams and well known [illegible] adventures in the arctic regions. The cir[illegible] under which the killing took place are [illegible] On Monday night December 3 Keith [illegible] and a stranger to them both [illegible] the same room as a [illegible] [illegible]. Morton was the first to get up [illegible] morning and, having dressed, started for the [illegible] he had opened the door and was going [illegible] jumped from his bed with a revolver in [illegible] shot Morton in the back killing him [illegible]. When the third man in the room woke [illegible] half a dozen others came running into the [illegible] at the shot, Keith stood in a dazed a[illegible] over the body of his victim and quietly [illegible] to be taken into custody. From that time [illegible] has denied all knowledge of the [illegible] of the crime. To an Oregonian reporter [illegible] stated last evening that he was a sailor [illegible] somewhat addicted to liquor, and at the [illegible] the shooting he was just recovering from a [illegible] attack of delirium tremens. He is still sick [illegible] physician has been provided to visit him [illegible] daily.

[illegible] Choice of Soap—Three soap manufac[illegible] of this city J R Irving & Co, Wassermann & [illegible] Phil & Hansen have addressed an open [illegible] to the board of trustees of the Oregon state [illegible], and sent it to The Oregonian for pub[illegible]. They ask the trustees to explain why [illegible] soap was specified in the list of articles for [illegible] bids were asked by them, when it is well [illegible] that this brand of soap is made only in Chi[illegible]. The letter closes as follows "Being that [illegible] we have thus far been actively engaged in [illegible] manufacturing business for five, ten, eleven [illegible] twelve years and have disposed of various [illegible] soap to numerous merchants dealers and [illegible] in various ranks of life and do so this [illegible] at a loss to explain why your honorable [illegible] should exclude the use of Oregon manufac[illegible] for the benefit of Kirk in Chicago. If there are [illegible] invigorating or nerve strengthening [illegible] in the preferred Kirk soap, please inform [illegible] of this state so that they may all be [illegible] by it, and we as manufacturers may thus [illegible] chance to learn what we have thus far been [illegible] in the manufacture of soap"

[illegible] Found in the River.—A postal card was [illegible] by Coroner Cooke yesterday afternoon [illegible] Reeder's landing on Sauvie's island, and [illegible] that a dead body has been found floating in [illegible] at that point and brought to shore where [illegible] awaiting the attention of the proper au[illegible]. The card was received too late to take any [illegible] the matter before night, but the coroner [illegible] down to the island by this morning's boat [illegible] an inquest upon the remains of the de[illegible]. The postal card gave no clue whatever to [illegible] of the dead man, or any other facts than [illegible] above stated. The coroner thinks it is the [illegible] of which be heard a report the day be[illegible] that on Wednesday a man from Albina [illegible] the coroner's office and stated that he saw a [illegible] floating down the river but had no boat [illegible] means of bringing it to the shore. A trip [illegible] such a "floater" would have been like looking [illegible] needle in a haystack, but now the coroner feels [illegible] that the body seen floating down past Albina is [illegible] with the one now at Sauvie's island

[illegible] Side.—J N Pearcy the party alluded [illegible] paragraph yesterday as having had a little [illegible] understanding with Justice Bybee claims that [illegible] was done him in the statement that he [illegible] inform Mr Bybee of the time of the hear[illegible] writ of review. His version of the affair [illegible] details are not of public interest goes to show [illegible] Pearcy did not violate court custom or [illegible] etiquette. Bybee asked that Pearcy act [illegible] to him and Pearcy good naturedly con[illegible] but when the latter went to see Bybee the [illegible] was out shooting ducks. Pearcy protests [illegible] Bybee calling him hard names and accusing [illegible] unprofessional conduct in the presence of [illegible] lawyers

[illegible] House Burned.—From Lieut Delehanty [illegible] arrived last evening from Alaska are obtained [illegible] following particulars of a fire which nearly de[illegible] the custom house at Sitka on December [illegible] origin of the fire is unknown. It [illegible] about five hours and was finally extin[illegible] by the sailors of the government steamer [illegible] which is now lying at that port. Through [illegible] of Collector Morris all of the papers and [illegible] belonging to the government were saved [illegible] his own private property was lost in the [illegible]. About a week before this fire broke out in [illegible] Ball's cannery but it was extinguished with [illegible] only $100

[illegible] Suffrage Rally.—The woman suffragists [illegible] city are preparing for a grand rally at Ma[illegible] hall on Saturday evening December [illegible] the speakers expected from Washington ter[illegible] are Governor William A Newell and Mrs C [illegible] of Olympia and Judge J R Lewis of Seat[illegible] a number of local speakers comprising the [illegible] legal and clerical talent in the city will also [illegible] short speeches. The speaking will be inter[illegible] with vocal and instrumental music. A [illegible] meeting is anticipated. Admission free to [illegible] Doors open at 7 o'clock. Exercises to com[illegible] at 7:30

[illegible] Services.—The funeral of Edward Mc[illegible] took place yesterday afternoon from his late [illegible], corner Thirteenth and E streets under [illegible] auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of [illegible] society the deceased was an honored member [illegible] attendance at the obsequies was large and many [illegible] in carriages followed the remains to their [illegible] resting place in Lone Fir Cemetery. Mr [illegible] years of age and a general favorite with all [illegible] knew him.

[illegible] Year's Election.—The Portland [illegible] [illegible] elected last night the following [illegible] [illegible] six months President Wm Wan[illegible] vice president O Castendieck recording secretary [illegible] financial secretary [illegible] first leader [illegible] [illegible] first warden [illegible] [illegible] Ph. Neu state manager Th Leumat [illegible] [illegible] trustees D Halburg L Four[illegible] [illegible] Reilly

[illegible] Lieutenant McCartney.—An election to [illegible] the vacancy in the office of first lieutenant in the [illegible] Portland City Guards Company F, O N M [illegible] vacant by the resignation of [illegible] M [illegible] was held last evening. D F McCartney was [illegible] chosen to fill the vacancy. The meeting was [illegible] presided over by O A Mooney the captain [illegible] and thirty five members of the company [illegible] were present.

[illegible] Election—Portland Royal Arch chap[illegible] elected and installed the following officers [illegible] Saturday evening High priest J C M[illegible]; [illegible] king [illegible] Mackey scribe A F DeLin O H, Eugene [illegible] P S Douglas W Taylor [illegible] M 3d V George H Andrews [illegible] [illegible] Holman M [illegible] O [illegible] [illegible] P C Schuyler secretary [illegible] [illegible] D C McKercher

Awaiting a Decision on High License.—Nearly every day Oregonian reporters are asked why the supreme court has not yet decided the case of Oliver Season which will test the legality of the $500 liquor license ordinance. Saloon keepers are very anxious, as the time for paying $1[illegible] or a new quarter is near at hand; advocates of high license and prohibitionists are curious to know the result, but those most interested just now are the members of the committee on ways and means of the common council. They cannot estimate well on the receipts of the city for next year. If the $500 license stands it will yield between $60,000 and $[illegible],000, and as the [illegible] amount of revenue to be raised will not exceed $190,000 or $195,000 it will be seen that the sum from saloons cuts a large figure in the calculation. One argument advanced by the wholesale trade when the question of high license was first brought up [illegible] that a tax of [illegible] would greatly [illegible] a good deal of [illegible] property has been refuted by the saloon keepers themselves. [illegible] all were forced to pay $1[illegible] last quarter only three have suspended business. [illegible] eight months ago several [illegible] the enforcement of the $500 license would [illegible] half the saloons in town and drive several hundred men out of employment.

Several Want the Job.—The position of superintendent of the city street cleaning has been offered by the committee on streets to Perry Baker at a salary of $[illegible] per month. Mr Baker declined the position at that salary. As considering the fact that the situation is not likely to prove a permanent one he did not consider the pay sufficient. He expressed a willingness to accept the place at a salary of $150 per month. There have been numerous applications for the place, some by parties who do not know anything about the duties required of them. But it is ever thus, no sooner is there a place opened on the city pay roll than there is a host of applicants. The salary, as a general thing, appears to be no object. The great object in this case appears to be to get the opportunity to [illegible] in the matter of buying horses and carts and hay and grain and hiring men, in fact, to get the chance to handle or expend the city's funds. It is to be hoped that some honest energetic man may obtain the situation and that he may pay some attention to his business.

The Storm.—The fresh impetus taken by the storm Wednesday night did very little damage as far as heard from. There were two or three slides along [illegible] and the Pacific express due yesterday morning was delayed nearly ten hours. Trains on the east and west side roads were on time, the east side getting through to Glendale. An engine [illegible] over the new extension between Glendale and Grant's Pass but few slides having occurred. All streams tributary to the Willamette were falling rapidly in the afternoon. No rains were reported along the Columbia or in the valley. The weather here was bright and bracing and the barometer rose to [illegible]. Prevailing winds during the day were north and northwest. In the evening the wind veered to the south and freshened. A few flashes of lightning were seen about 12 o'clock last night and the weather again looked uncomfortably threatening. The wire to San Francisco was up for an hour or so yesterday morning but went down at [illegible] P M and has been flat ever since.

Damage by Rain.—By Wednesday night's rain and bad tinwork the stocks in two stores on First street between E and F were considerably damaged. The water which accumulated on the roof found its way inside and wet all the goods on one side of Sheridan & Russell's furnishing goods store and Mrs Carroll's cigar store. The heavy rains caused the embankment on the Morrison street side of J C Henrichsen's lot at Lownsdale street to slide down carrying the brick wall and fence on to the sidewalk. It will cost considerable to put the matter to rights.

Most Creditors Secured.—In the list of creditors of M B Rankin published yesterday it should have been added that others besides the six creditors specified as being secured by mortgages were also made secure. The Portland Savings bank the First National bank and the Metropolitan Savings bank were each secured by collaterals which were themselves secured by mortgages. In all the amount of Mr Rankin's unsecured indebtedness as compared with his surplus property is small, and his friends, as much as he, regret the necessity for the assignment.

The Brunswick.—The regular social of the Brunswick Club takes place as usual Wednesday evening January 2—the phantom dance announced on invitation cards for that evening to be postponed until later on, the committee being unable to secure the necessary colored lights for that night.

Passengers for Portland.—The following persons passed Sprague yesterday to arrive here this morning: J H McGillis A M C[illegible] and Thomas Pettigrew Portland Ira Small, Umatilla G A [illegible] Hayden Vancouver Max Henry S B Capps and R G Ramsey, California.

U S Circuit Court.—Judge Deady will deliver an opinion in this court this morning in the case of Cottier et al v Susan Stimson et al upon the motion to strike out the defendants' special pleas.

### BRIEF MENTION.

All along the river front freight has been and is being moved from the lower to the upper docks in anticipation of the coming high water.

Trustees of Martha Washington circle, No [illegible], Daughters of Liberty, yesterday filed articles in the office of the county clerk of Multnomah.

Two weddings took place at Grace Church Christmas day: William Garvin to Miss Sarah Gardiner and Charles Kelly Jr, to Miss Blount.

[illegible] Knott Bros will buy the little steamer Twins. They will have a boat that neither wind nor high water has yet stopped from running and it will again frequently prove a great public convenience.

George Neal who was arrested Tuesday night for assault upon Phil Dahoney is thought to be insane and will undergo an examination before County Judge St[illegible]

Messrs Kelly and Wilbur registered letter clerks at the post office, were busy as bees this week. They were particularly crowded Wednesday, and did the best possible under the rain.

Edward Smith & Co have brought suit in the state circuit court against W V Lep[illegible] to recover $[illegible] alleged to be due in payment of paints, oils, etc furnished to the defendant some time ago.

The big boat of the Stark street ferry was taken off the cable yesterday and run successfully, at only a little longer intervals than usual. Captain Robertson skillfully handled the new steering apparatus.

The double entry bookkeeping class held at the Y M C A rooms will not meet this evening on account of the absence of Prof F F Warren. The class in mechanical drawing will meet as usual at 7 o'clock.

The three iron cages at the county jail are occupied by Frank Johnson, who shot the woman who claimed to be his wife David Cloninger the St Helens homicide and Patrick Keith the latest arrival from Alaska.

Shortly after the loss of the pilot schooner Gonzalez the schooner City of Napa was brought up from San Francisco to take her place. The Astorian states that the proprietors of the City of Napa intend sending her to San Francisco about January 1 and will go out of the piloting business.

### THAT U. S. MAGAZINE.

ALBANY Dec [illegible]

To the Editor of The Oregonian

Will you please inform the many readers of your paper whether or not the people of Portland who have subscribed for the U S Monthly Magazine of one G W Rose have received the same or not, as there are a great many in this vicinity who would like to know? A. R.

[The Oregonian is unable to give any definite information in regard to this magazine. It appears to be a wholly unknown publication. Complaints have been made by subscribers in various quarters that they have not received their books and the fact was noted in The Oregonian. Mr Rose, the agent, called and explained that the part of complaining were in too great a hurry; that in some instances there was not time for them to receive their books and showed telegrams from other places purporting that the subscribers had received their books. As to subscribers here he said that they commenced with the January number, and had no right to look for their books until some time in that month. Rose exhibited in The Oregonian office copies of the July and December numbers of the United States Magazine, but it is impossible to say whether any other numbers were ever issued. It is also impossible for any one to say whether any more ever will be issued. While The Oregonian desires to protect the public from being swindled it has no desire to injure any man's legitimate business and in the absence of any certain knowledge in regard to the United States Magazine must refrain from expressing its opinion. If readers of The Oregonian who have subscribed for the United States Monthly Magazine, and who have not received it according to the representations of the agent will kindly furnish any information in regard to the matter, it will be published.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

DEEDS.

D K Abrams and A A Knox to John Murray, lot 2, block 3, in Albina homestead December 12—$200

Despair not, neither mourn nor wail!
Although your mouth has still red lip
Although your teeth are half decayed
You still can save them if you will
A little SOZODONT be sure
Will make all right by [illegible] pure.

My wife is happy. Barbey re[illegible] her sewing ma[illegible] [illegible] Yamhill street between [illegible] and Second [illegible]

Acting on the impulse of the moment she stepped into Uncle Myers establishment and pledged her elegant diamond bracelets, realizing more than enough to satisfy that persistent creditor. Uncle Myers will be glad to see you at 181 First street, corner of Yamhill.

Silks and velvets at less than wholesale prices at [illegible] quotation sale.

### OPEN NOW.

[illegible] [illegible] Trowbridge's 19 Washington street.

[illegible] holiday [illegible] [illegible] selection [illegible] [illegible] in the city

[illegible] H. Harris & Co 40 First [illegible] largest stock [illegible] city.

[illegible] make any presents during the holidays Uncle Myers can furnish something [illegible] [illegible] diamonds [illegible] [illegible] cheap[illegible] Remember the place. Uncle Myers, the great [illegible] money lender, 181 First st cor Yamhill

[illegible] holiday presents at cost at [illegible]

### BUSINESS ITEMS.

[illegible] winter blankets [illegible] Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops [illegible]

FREHN BROS., DENTAL GRADUATES. [illegible] teeth [illegible] [illegible] work [illegible] [illegible] Stark st [illegible]

THE VIENNA COFFEE HOUSE. 75 Washington st. [illegible] Oysters in every style

FRIEDBORN & CO.,

Dealers in Wall Paper and Art Decorations of the latest designs. Only exclusive wall paper house north of San Francisco. 125 Third st., opp Masonic Temple.

# THE EAST SIDE.

### SCHOOL REPORT, DISTRICT NO 21

Following is the report of the East Portland schools for the term and month ending December 17, 1883 as submitted at a recent meeting of the directors by Prof F A F Starr, principal

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| "Term's enrollment—Males | [illegible] |
| Females | 417—7[illegible] |
| Number remaining at end of month | [illegible] |
| Total days' attendance | 8,[illegible] |
| absence | [illegible] |
| Average daily attendance | [illegible] |
| absence | [illegible] |
| Per cent of attendance | [illegible] |
| Cases of tardiness | [illegible] |
| Cases of corporal punishment | [illegible] |

[illegible] an unusual amount of sickness showing for the past month [illegible] attendance [illegible] lower grades [illegible] still continue [illegible] but may [illegible] the short days and the long distance many of the pupils have to come.

"The term's examination was held very satisfactory [illegible] the grade [illegible]

The new grade work adopted at the beginning of the year has proved well suited to the wants [illegible] and may now be said to be thoroughly established.

[illegible] school is in good condition for the introduction of the new language series which will add largely to the practical results.

As to the advancement and deportment and general character of the different rooms they speak for themselves. On the whole [illegible] believe that the work done shows that the past term has been a beneficial and progressive one.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

The Christmas festival of St David's Episcopal Sunday school will be held in the church this evening at 7 30 o'clock. The children will sing a number of very pretty Christmas carols, there will be an address by the rector, the distribution of cards and an offering made for sick orphan children. The public are cordially invited.

WASHOUT

Yesterday's rain and the effect of washing out the fill at the east end of the Fourth street bridge between Fourth and Sixth streets, leaving a hole enough for an elephant to get [illegible] the [illegible] washout was caused by the [illegible] obstruction and stoppage of the gutters which diverted the water toward the center of the street. Barriers have been erected and the city surveyor and street commissioner are now directing their efforts toward a substantial repair and making a safe approach to the bridge.

MASONIC LODGE INSTALLATION.

The officers elect of Washington lodge No 46 A F and A M were duly installed last evening. Past Master F W Pratt of Portland acting as installing officer, assisted by S Bulli[illegible] as master of ceremonies. Professor Pratt preceded the installation by a few appropriate remarks. There was a large attendance of members together with their families who were present by invitation. At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies, a good sociable time enjoyed by a dainty collation brought a pleasant and interesting evening to a happy culmination.

LOST HER RUDDER

In the first trip of the Veto No 2 from the west side yesterday she broke her rudder, one of her tillers causing her to drift down stream almost as far as the lower depot nearly colliding with several vessels on the way and finally bringing up against a barge moored on the east side and striking in the side of the cabin about midships. The injury, however, was slight. After several efforts the craft was finally reversed and made the east side landing without further mishap, but with the horses' heads where the tails should be, and the passengers giving vent to a sigh of relief as they hurried ashore.

FORESTERS ELECTION

Court Willamette No 6716 A O F, have elected the following officers for the ensuing term: C R, W C Everest; Sub C R, J W L Wood; recording secretary, Alex Parrell; financial secretary, J L [illegible]; treasurer, I [illegible]; S W, W E [illegible]; J W David Fobes; senior beadle N C Dickson; junior beadle S A Hughes. Installation occurs Wednesday January 2 1884.

CONTRACT FOR NEW STORES

Bids opened Wednesday for a range of six one story stores eighty feet front by thirty feet deep to be erected by Charles Logus on I street between Third and Fourth ranged from $1[illegible] to $1[illegible]. [illegible] Stokes & Co were awarded the contract at $[illegible]00.

POUND MASTER DAN

A dog named W. Johnson gathered in Wednesday night was sent below yesterday morning, six days in default of the wherewithal.

### KILLED BY A FALLING LIMB

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

DRAIN, Or., Dec 27

W E Palmer, proprietor of the Drain sawmill was instantly killed yesterday by a falling limb, while running logs on a tributary of Pass creek. The limb was a small one but fell from the top of a high fir tree while he was standing on the bank pushing logs. The wind was blowing at the time. Mr Palmer was about 38 years old and leaves a wife and two children. He was an energetic business man and will be much missed in social and business circles. He was born in Douglas county and is a cousin of Mr [illegible] of Scottsburg.

### PERSONAL

Lieutenant D [illegible] of the United States navy, now stationed in Alaska, came down on the Idaho yesterday on special business, and is now stopping at the St Charles.

County Clerk Sewall and [illegible] spent the holidays [illegible] Salem and [illegible]. In Sewall's absence Deputy W H Wood [illegible] the office during his absence.

Mrs A S Duniway, senior editor of the New Northwest, leaves for Washington, D C, via the Northern Pacific on Thursday of next week to attend the annual meeting of the National Woman Suffrage Association that convenes in that city [illegible] in January.

### W C T U

At the regular weekly meeting of the W C T U on [illegible] Mrs M E Rankin recording secretary, tendered her resignation, which was accepted on account of her removal to the country. Mrs Willits was appointed as Mrs Rankin's successor. Aside from the duties pertaining to the office of secretary, Mrs Willits will take charge of the [illegible] literature at once, [illegible] as office secretary. Mrs Willits' heart is in the work and her courage is at this time [illegible] promise. [illegible] very encouraging feature of the W C T U work at present is the interest manifested on the part of the young ladies with whom we have so recently consolidated. Among these young ladies are some of Portland's first girls. A MEMBER.

A lady writes from Oregon: "For thirty years have been afflicted with kidney complaint. Two packages of Kidney Wort have done me more good than all the medicine and doctors I have had before. I believe it is a sure cure."

Y W C T U—All the young ladies of the city interested in the work of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union are requested to meet at [illegible] Washington street this [illegible] afternoon at [illegible]. A matter of special importance is to be transacted. By order of the president.

Lessons in painting will be given by Iona Dukes every Tuesday and Saturday for ladies. Inquire of [illegible] in his new rooms, [illegible] floor [illegible] building corner Second and Washington streets. Terms $[illegible] per month, $3 per single lesson. Take the elevator.

All kinds mixed nuts and fancy pastry, silk and satin boxes at Postoffice Candy store.

New Year's candies, nuts and fancy pastry at Postoffice Candy Store, Multnomah block opposite [illegible]

[illegible] striking figures at the White House.

## CITY NOTICES.

Go to Keith's for oysters.

Eastern oysters every style at Keith's.

Christmas trees, candles and trimmings, at Postoffice Candy Store. Multnomah Block, opposite Postoffice.

Snow flakes [illegible] Chills drug store, corner Morrison and [illegible]

Our french and St Julians [illegible] at Staples & Garrett.

Sheet music, all the latest vocal and instrumental [illegible] W. Browning [illegible] Morrison.

Largest quantity of Christmas tree trimmings, glass balls, etc at Postoffice Candy Store.

Oysters four dollars per sack at Keith's.

Have you seen the [illegible] Chills drug store, corner Morrison and Second streets?

Special attention paid to Sunday school trade. Large and small Christmas trees [illegible] Candy [illegible]

Fresh sweet apple cider and cider and white vinegar for family use. Metzger & [illegible] Third near [illegible]

For a great selection of Dykes' [illegible] boxes of candies from Staples & Garrett.

Cheapest place to buy Christmas tree candle holders and ornaments [illegible] Postoffice Candy [illegible].

First-class meerschaum pipes, guaranteed, imported cigars for holidays, [illegible] any other first class line of smokers' articles. Stop [illegible] First & [illegible]

Choice brands of wines, liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolitan corner First and Alder.

Take Dr. H[illegible] [illegible] Oil. [illegible] and tone can for it adds twenty years to the life of man.

All kinds of mixed nuts and [illegible] satin box at Postoffice Candy Store.

For Christmas [illegible] and Christmas [illegible] A Chill's drug store corner Morrison and Second sts.

The N P Express will [illegible] up [illegible] December 1[illegible] in their new quarters No [illegible] Washington street between Front and First.

Cornucopias, candy [illegible] Christmas tree trimmings at Staples & Garrett's.

Orders from the country filled promptly by mail [illegible] A Chill's drug store [illegible] Morrison and second street.

The latest patterns in gentlemen's dress [illegible] [illegible] all the novelties filled out and [illegible] promptly and [illegible]

Felpel [illegible] Extra Dry is the wine now used [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of which are [illegible]

[illegible] SEWING [illegible] Portland, Or.—General agent for the [illegible] the White and [illegible] at keeping machines of [illegible] [illegible] parts. Machines repaired and [illegible]

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SILVER WARE,

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Watch Repairing, and Jewelry of all kinds manufactured to order.

Orders from the interior carefully and promptly attended to.

Goods express [illegible] [illegible]

HEALTHY Vigorous Sound [illegible] Healthful [illegible] —WEBSTER.

OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER

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KIDNEY & LIVER REGULATOR.

## WHAT STATE HAS THE MOST RAIN

### A Number of Places More Richly Blessed Than the Willamette Valley.

In its existence of more than thirty three years many questions on a variety of subjects have been put to The Oregonian for answer but about the queerest inquiry came Wednesday night by telephone. An old subscriber and large advertiser called up one of the staff and asked him to decide a wager on the following question "What state in the Union has the greatest rainfall?" Answer was made that if such information was obtainable it would be published by this paper. Investigation of the reports of the chief signal officer of the army shows that Florida leads all other states in the amount of rainfall. The record of course is not kept by states but by meteorological districts and a glance at the figures below will be sufficient to convince the reader that Oregon is not the wettest country in the Union.

The average annual rainfall at Portland for [illegible] years was [illegible] inches at Roseburg (average for three years) 37 [illegible] at Umatilla average for three years) [illegible]. Taking [illegible] as the standard the Willamette valley and Roseburg [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Bay and [illegible] Oregon where the rainfall in inches [illegible] [illegible] Oregon [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Jackson [illegible] the extreme north [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] St Mark's the extreme southern [illegible]. The averages are from three to [illegible] years some of the stations having been established only three years [illegible] [illegible] report shows that the [illegible] Neah bay and Cape Mendocino each [illegible] down as [illegible] rainfall [illegible] in the world there are twenty one government signal stations in the United States where the rainfall is heavier than at Portland. The list is as follows

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Titan [illegible] Ga | 7[illegible] | Mobile Ala | [illegible] |
| Cape Hatteras N C | [illegible] | Montgomery Ala | [illegible] |
| Cape Henry Va | [illegible] | New Orleans La | [illegible] |
| Cape Lookout N C | [illegible] | Pensacola Fla | [illegible] |
| Cedar Keys, Fla | 82 [illegible] | Smithville N C | [illegible] |
| Charleston, S C | [illegible] | Savannah, Ga | 5[illegible] |
| Chattanooga, Tenn | [illegible] | Smithville, N C | [illegible] |
| Kitty Hawk N C | [illegible] | St Marks Fla | [illegible] |
| Little Rock Ark | [illegible] | Vicksburg Miss | [illegible] |
| Memphis Tenn | [illegible] | Wilmington N C | [illegible] |

Average annual rainfall at Olympia for nine years was [illegible] inches. The government has no figures from Astoria but a private record [illegible] that [illegible] has always been a dry town by Astorian and Portland as to which city has the largest crop of [illegible] Portlanders insisting that while Astoria has more rain in point of time it has not in quantity. It rains more days and months there but [illegible] rain is heavier here in the form of mist and drizzle to measure so much. Perhaps the Astorian can furnish the correct figures.

### AMUSEMENTS.

Kate Putnam.—The drama known to the French as La Petite Fadette and our nation as Fanchon, the Cricket, was produced by Miss Putnam and her company at the New Market theatre to an audience that tested the capacity of the theatre. We took the liberty yesterday of promising the public an enjoyable performance and the promise was in every sense of the word realized. [illegible] continuous applause, laughter and tears that greeted Miss Putnam's efforts amply attested. Her efforts are so generally regarded as superior that the esteem and admiration in which she is held by our theatre going public [illegible]. About her Fanchon there is a general sense of unconventionality [illegible] her portrayal of the character itself. So different from any artist one may have seen before in the part is she that the [illegible] her character [illegible] not a favorite with [illegible] conception, so finished the so called Miss Putnam may well claim originality, for last night we saw [illegible] no suggested imitation of any Fanchon we have ever seen before but rather deep thought, regular study, artistic rendition and complete comprehension of nature. She was honored with a call before the curtain at the end of each act and sent her audience home feeling that their time had not been wasted and inwardly resolving that they must come to see Kate again.

The support accorded Miss Putnam was, as usual, excellent. Mr Devlin as Didier invested the character with a quaintness of humor that was quite refreshing. Indeed, the author's idea of the good natured spoiled boy found an apt exponent in him. He was very favorably received. Mr Clinton as Landry was also a favorite. His hands are spread [illegible] bearing and general understanding of the requirements of his role went far to make much of a very uninteresting part. Mr Olmstead was excellent as the hard hearted but withal warm hearted Father Barbaud. Old Fadette received excellent treatment at the hands of Mrs Putnam. The [illegible] the character by Messrs. Emery, Martin and Rice were well handled and left nothing to be desired [illegible] with the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the parting [illegible] was received with every mark of appreciation and the performance moved on to the finish without any [illegible] to mar the pleasure of the evening. It will be repeated Saturday evening.

To night we are to have a repetition of Miss Putnam's great creation of the dual role of Little Nell and the Marchioness in the Old Curiosity Shop. The performance needs no recommend from us. A large audience at the Tuesday will undoubtedly come, and effectually and the result will undoubtedly be a large house. The usual Saturday matinee will be given, when an [illegible] will be rendered.

### SUPREME COURT

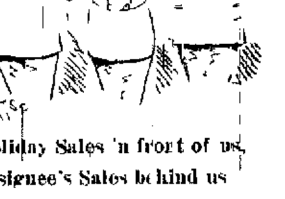
SALEM Dec 27 Spl

W H Holmes executor of the will of S G [illegible] French, respondent, v [illegible] District No [illegible] appellant. Submitted, and taken under advisement by the court.

Court adjourned until 10 A M to morrow.

A Moline [illegible] [illegible] of a Louisville lady who did a big day's washing on Saturday gave birth to a child on Sunday and thrashed her husband on Monday. Mr Watters [illegible] says the mother and child are doing well but neglects to tell how the old man is getting along.

No well regulated household should be without a bottle of Angostura Bitters, the world renowned appetizer and invigorator. Beware of counterfeits. Ask your grocer or druggist for the genuine article manufactured by Dr J G B Siegert & Sons.



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Bargain Sales to the left of us,

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[illegible] [illegible] of our stock [illegible] following will give you a small idea of how we [illegible]

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| $20 Suits to | $15 |
| 23 Suits to | 18 |
| 25 Suits to | 20 |
| 30 Suits to | 25 |
| $14 Overcoats to | $10 |
| 16 Overcoats to | 12 |
| 18 Overcoats to | 14 |
| 20 Overcoats to | 15 |
| 25 Overcoats to | 20 |
| $2 00 Hats to | $1 50 |
| 3 00 Hats to | 2 50 |
| 3 50 Hats to | 2 75 |
| 4 00 Hats to | 3 00 |
| 5 00 Hats to | 4 00 |

ETC., ETC., ETC

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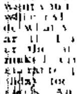

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## ALBANY NOTES.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

ALBANY, Dec 27

All the mills have closed down on account of high water.

Miss Ella [illegible] is lying quite sick with lung fever

Eight saloons are finding the two breweries have taken out licenses for the ensuing six months.

At 10 o'clock A M, to day the river stood seven [illegible] feet above low water mark and at [illegible] rising.

The [illegible] Barlow [illegible] yesterday evening with a load of [illegible] which discharged at Monteith's wharf.

Willamette Lodge No 11 A O U W and Valley Lodge No [illegible] have been installed [illegible] officers [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] recently purchased an interest in the [illegible] saloon has sold out to his partner, Mr. [illegible]

[illegible] who has been visiting his parents in this city during the past week returned to Portland yesterday.

[illegible] Rader a [illegible] [illegible] in the lower part of the city was [illegible] injured last [illegible] by striking her head against a [illegible]

At the last meeting of the city council the bonds of the city [illegible] the amount [illegible] [illegible] over last year.

Prof. [illegible] yesterday handed in his resignation as [illegible] in the Albany public schools. A meeting of the directors will be held this evening to fill the vacancy.

The recent rains beating through the roof of the court house have caused the center piece in the court room of the [illegible] last night fell with a crash upon the seats.

The present high water came near catching Monteith's boom [illegible] feet of [illegible] wharf. Several teams were kept busy until a late hour last night removing it.

[illegible] installed the following officers for the ensuing term: [illegible] W M [illegible] Langdon [illegible] Rob Foster S W [illegible] [illegible] Geo Chamberlain [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Blackburn M [illegible]

### SEASIDE NOTES

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

SEASIDE D[illegible]

A new [illegible] has been [illegible] [illegible]

The [illegible] still rages. Ten cents a pound three pounds for a quarter is now the [illegible]

High winds prevail here to day. Not much damage [illegible] [illegible] bay was to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] drag an anchor for a short [illegible] [illegible] Harrington & Smith's wharf was [illegible] some alarm was [illegible] when the wind [illegible] suddenly [illegible] arisen.

Christmas day was celebrated in all the churches and many of the private houses. The Congregational church [illegible] to be the most decorated, being strung from end to end with heavy festoons and [illegible] [illegible] generally [illegible] the holiday thoroughly.

The W C T U and Y W C T U united last Sunday in celebrating the tenth anniversary of the woman's crusade. [illegible] hall was filled and the programme was interesting. It consisted of devotional exercises, music and a history of the crusade by Mrs E H Johnson. Professor [illegible] delivered an address on the relation of the W C T U to the world. Mrs Parkhurst read an article [illegible] Unions. Literature was distributed and [illegible] meeting pronounced by all a success.

What promises to be a serious accident has resulted in nothing worse than a scare. A young lady from the country took rooms at the New [illegible] hotel and on retiring blew out the gas. Sudden [illegible] was only prevented by the timely application of restoratives.

[illegible] Davies & Co are looking for a store. As soon as they vacate their present premises it is understood that the Gordon Hardware Company will commence the construction of their large three story brick building. The foundation material is on the place.

### SALEM NOTES

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

SALEM Dec 27

W W Baker of the Rural Spirit is in the city on a business trip.

A daughter of Rev [illegible] S Bowerson is lying very low with typhoid fever.

Our public schools only enjoyed but two days vacation during Christmas week.

Lewis Byrd's condition is less favorable again [illegible] alarming.

The storm that has been raging since Monday last has apparently abated and the sun is once more struggling through the clouds.

The ladies of Salem will very generally observe this year the custom of keeping open house and the sentiment [illegible] making elaborate arrangements for indulging in the annual visits.

The [illegible] club of this city this morning filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. [illegible] George H [illegible] W J [illegible] Kelley [illegible] [illegible] are the incorporators [illegible] capital stock of $1[illegible]

Salem Chapter [illegible] G A R, is making extensive preparations for their second annual ball which will take place at Reed's opera house on Monday evening. [illegible] [illegible] largely [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] otherwise [illegible]

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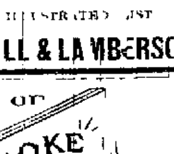


SCROLL SAWS

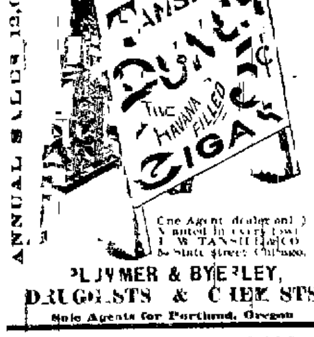
PATTERNS, ETC.

"Acme" [illegible] Ice Skate Fastens Itself by Stepping Into It. Hard Run[illegible]ners.

WRITE FOR ILLUSTRATED LIST

DAYTON, HALL & LAMBERSON

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS



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For Sale by all Druggists. Sole Agents [illegible] Yamhill Street Portland, Oregon.

## THE COURTS

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J.

THURSDAY, Dec 26

In re Estes & Carter—Report of Register confirmed and order that assignee make deed to Mrs Carter.

Adjourned until Saturday.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—STOTT J.

THURSDAY, Dec 27

Wiberg v Kiernan vs Thos P Martin—Report of referee confirmed bill dismissed

Gammons vs. Holman & Co—Motion for new trial denied, judgment for defendants

Friendly vs Thorne et al—Motion for leave to amend the complaint allowed

Cooper & Hamilton vs H Bertling et al—Continued for the term

Kloster [illegible] vs Grace—Judgment for $[illegible]31 2[illegible]

Dawson vs Daniel [illegible]—Judgment for $[illegible]

Garrigan vs Garrigan—Demurrer to complaint overruled ten days to answer

Du[illegible] vs Schul[illegible]—Mandate of supreme court entered

[illegible] vs Portland Paving Company—Motion to reinstate denied

Church vs [illegible]—Motion for new trial denied

COUNTY COURT—[illegible]

State vs M Cann—Larceny continued

[illegible]—Larceny of umbrellas, twenty five days in jail

[illegible] Sherlock—Battery continued

Ah Sam—Battery [illegible]

Ah Quin—Battery continued

Frank Hanson and [illegible] Hill—Larceny continued

Mike Birk [illegible] [illegible] fined [illegible] Thos. Turner [illegible] McNeil [illegible] Bradey—Drunk fined or forfeited $10 each

G W Taylor—Abusive language fined $[illegible]

Ah Kee—Saying [illegible] on sidewalk fined $[illegible]

Ah Howe—Carrying articles suspended from poles on sidewalk [illegible]

[illegible] Esbee—Abusive language under advisement

### PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

Last night the several lodges of Masons held public installation exercises at their temple. There were present about 400 ladies and gentlemen, relatives and friends of the brethren. Officers of Willamette, Harmony and Portland lodges were installed by P G M John McCraken. After the ceremony the audience adjourned to the hall below and partook of refreshments. Following is the list of officers installed

Worshipful Masters—A P [illegible] William [illegible] N [illegible] Harmony No 1 [illegible] Portland No 5

Senior Wardens—D W [illegible] Willamette [illegible] Harmony [illegible] Turner Portland

Junior Wardens—J [illegible] Toy Willamette W C Powers Harmony [illegible] Portland

Treasurers—J R [illegible] Willamette Ira F Powers Harmony [illegible] Portland

Secretaries—Gustaf Wilson Willamette W A B[illegible] Harmony T F Struble Portland

Senior Deacons—Frank Botsford Willamette W H, D Jones Harmony F W Baltes Portland

Junior Deacons—O W [illegible] Willamette A Muleshead Harmony A [illegible] Portland

Tylers—A L Woods for all

First Stewards—S B Riggen Willamette W Muirhead Harmony W Fliedner Portland

Second Stewards—Gustave [illegible] Willamette [illegible] Harmony J A De[illegible] Portland

"The Distributive Birch"

From Mo[illegible] Bluff Ga. we learn that Mr Ross, a teacher who [illegible] other name would whip as well, punished a pupil whose big brother forged [illegible] that [illegible] [illegible] the stern "undertook" [illegible] [illegible] of the professor by the [illegible] [illegible] and the [illegible] [illegible] family [illegible] themselves and [illegible] ambush for him and tried to stick him off with a firearm a [illegible] after waiting [illegible] [illegible] the brush and left it [illegible] alone to [illegible] [illegible] public [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] the attacking party through the [illegible] windows of the county jail [illegible]

The [illegible] that all are praising is not the [illegible] for me.

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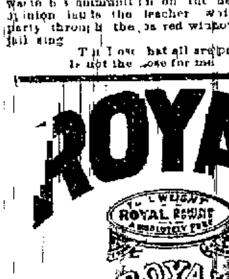

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It has paid over about one fifth of all the money paid for life insurance at [illegible] [illegible] about one-fourth of the money paid [illegible] holders of life insurance [illegible] [illegible] results of its policies in the [illegible] are unparalleled, and it stands first in rank among the life insurance Companies of the world. It is the only company in the United States whose policies have been and still are [illegible]

Examples of Policies Now in Force.

| | Total prem paid | Present amt policy |
|---|---|---|
| No 53 | $4,500 | $[illegible] |
| No [illegible] | 18 00 | [illegible] |
| No 121 | 10 00 | [illegible] |

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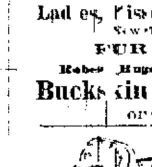

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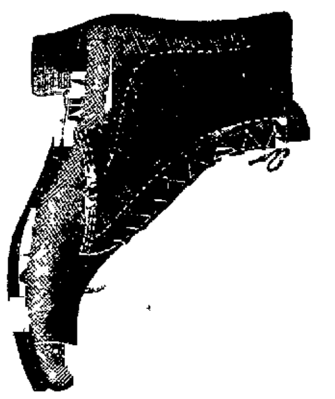

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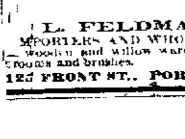

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HODGE, DAVIS & CO., Agents, Portland, Oregon.

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, DEC. 28, 1883.

## TALMA AND NAPOLEON.

### The Shabby Lieutenant who Used to Solicit Free Tickets.

Longman's Magazine.

I once heard an old dramatist relate an anecdote, which may or may not have found its way into print. As long ago as 1788 he was walking in the Rue St. Honore with his friend Talma, then at the commencement of his career, when a young officer in a shabby lieutenant's uniform met them, and said to the actor, "Remember to-morrow." Talma nodded assent, and the other passed on. "Who is that?" inquired my informant. "The torment of my life," was the reply. "A young fellow without a sou, who is perpetually plaguing me for tickets of admission to the theater. Not a bad judge, I must say," he continued. "Knows all our classics by heart, and won't listen to anything but Corneille and Racine." Some twenty years later the two friends chanced to meet again in the Place du Carrousel, at the very moment when Napoleon was starting for his daily ride. On seeing Talma he stopped his horse and spoke a few words to him. When he had left them the tragedian, turning to his companion, asked if he recollected the young lieutenant who used formerly to bother him for tickets. On the latter's confessing that he had quite forgotten the circumstance, "Ah," observed Talma, "I have more reason to remember him than you have. He is emperor now, and I am still a poor devil of an actor; but you see he has not forgotten me. Only," he added with a smile, "he has no need to ask me for free admission now."

## SEALSKINS.

### How They are Retained in Fashion by High Prices.

San Francisco *Chronicle*: It is often wondered why the price of sealskin goods should remain so high when the Arctic abounds with the animals from which the fur is taken, and the limit allowed by existing laws, as they are construed by seal-catchers, is comparatively boundless. The statement of the great cost of coloring and preparing the fur is not credited by many, and it does look rather strange that this should be the case.

L. Gerstle, president of the Alaska Commercial Company, dropped a hint or two to a *Chronicle* reporter yesterday on this subject. In speaking of the total catch for the season, which Mr. Gerstle says has been incorrectly reported, it was remarked that the market at the opening of the season of 1883 showed such an overstocked condition that it was thought necessary, in order to work off the remaining furs, as well as future catches, to take some steps to keep the demand and supply steady and make the transactions profitable to the company.

"But," asked the reporter, "if the supply is so great as it is reported, why could not the trade be conducted on a cheaper and more extensive basis?"

The round, hearty countenance of the seal merchant was lighted by a broad smile, and with a significant look in his eye he said:

"The idea is to have the popularity of the sealskin still retained by the fashionable world."

"And you intend to do this by keeping up values?"

"Exactly; that's the only way, and it is in accordance with strict commercial principles. That is not all, however. If the sealskins should become cheap and common, other furs which are harder to procure would then be in demand."

"How is the market regulated?"

"Well," said the president, "you know that we have a very extensive trade abroad, and, in fact, London and Paris are the chief centers of the fur trade. In March of each year a meeting of furriers or their delegates is held in London, and to these we make our report that they may know the outlook for trade from this source for the subsequent season. We gave them notice of our intention to reduce the supply of skins for the season of 1883 and have followed out that plan to the letter. Here is a copy of the report."

On examination it was found that the catch for the season was 40,000 skins less than last year's. The total number captured, or agreed to be captured, was 100,000. Of these 25,000 were Copper island and 75,000 Alaska furs.

"Will the reduction of the annual catch be permanent?" was asked.

"I cannot say as to that," replied Mr. Gerstle. "Prior to this season the tone of the market had not been very healthy, prices settling from sale to sale; and no other remedy being afforded us, the present step was resolved on."

### Smoking in Mexico.

Indianapolis Journal.

While waiting for coffee, and afterward during pauses in the conversation, the gentlemen of the family—and not unfrequently the ladies also—settle gracefully back in their chairs and enjoy a cigarette or two. I learned a lesson at my very first dinner in Mexico. It was a hotel table, and a stranger—a Mexican—seated beside me, who happened to finish his dinner first, innocently lighted his cigar for the usual table smoke, which I, in the depth of my ignorance, regarded as a personal insult, and indignantly left the table. Since that day I have become "learned in the ways of the Egyptians," and can not only tolerate the national custom with equanimity, but (be not horrified, O! fastidious friends!) occasionally take a dinner cigarette myself. When one is in Rome it is well to do as the Romans do. These tiny Mexican cigarettes, rolled up in corn husks or tissue paper, are not at all like the strong smelling things we have in the United States. They are not much larger than straws, the husk is sweet to the taste, and they have a delicate fragrance which is very pleasant. In Mexico everybody smokes at all places—at the theater, in the ball-room, everywhere. In making formal calls, or more extended visits, politeness demands an immediate and frequent exchange of cigarettes and "light"—with many courteous words, as "after you, senora" (referring to the match)—precisely as our ancestors were wont to proffer and accept the snuff-box. Every Mexican lady's pocket is supplied with match box and cigarette holder of more or less elegance, and the dainty fingers of many a fair young senorita are discolored like polished bronze at the tips from much cigarette rolling.

### House Patronage.

Washington Special, Dec. 20.

Great dissatisfaction exists among democratic members as to the manner in which the patronage of the house has been disposed of. The claim is made—and seemingly borne out by facts—that, with one exception, there has not been a single appointee south of Kentucky and east of the Mississippi river. The three principal officers of the house, the speaker, clerk and doorkeeper, are natives of Kentucky, although the two latter have of late years resided in Missouri and Texas. These three states, it is said, control over half the offices. Even Ohio, from which state the sergeant-at-arms hails, has only a few minor positions. The same may be said of Indiana. Illinois has practically nothing. Ex-Speaker Randall asked for but one appointment. His request was denied. New England did not get a single appointment. Frank Jones, the wealthy New Hampshire brewer, demanded the position of engrossing clerk for a Mr. Jonniss. He was refused on the ground that New Hampshire had no Democratic representative. He flew in a rage, and exclaimed: "You don't talk this way before election! Every year I subscribe thousands of dollars to carry closely contested districts, and now when I ask for a modest place I am refused because New Hampshire is not a democratic state. You'll have to make a bargain with me next year and put it in black and white before you receive another dollar of my money." A northern democrat said this evening that immediately after the holiday recess a resolution of inquiry on this subject would be introduced, and that possibly quite a number of the present incumbents would be dismissed to make room for a more equitable apportionment among the different states.

Many of the Prussian officers have for a long time been learning Russian, and what is called the Railroad Regiment is now studying it. Their knowledge of French was found very convenient in 1870-72.

## THE HOTELS.

ESMOND.

P C Spencer, N Y
P W Sharp, Ireland
George O Ford, Alaska
Samuel W Robbins, London
A H Chase, West Point
O B Bagley, Olympia
N E Turk, Grant's Pass
E H James, Bakersville
W Joint, Helena, M T
Frank Williams, Tucson
R Thompson, N Y
E Lotz, San Francisco
J Davidson & wf, Astoria
W T Parker, Harbor Sp's
F Lo Scrosh, Grant's Pass
A L Smeden, San Fran
J M Miller, Fargo, D T
J E Weerab, do
James Griffin, do
J H Matlock, N Y
J E Miller, San Francisco
Julian Jones, Oregon City
E C Lakin, St Ignley
E Altman, Titusville, Pa
W L Altman, do
Miss Sanderson, Vancouver
J H Haydon, Olympia
J M Coulter, do
W G Price & wf, Chicago
C Wiles & wf, Walla Walla
C H Perkins, Gr Rapids
V O Walton, Oregon City
T Emanuel, do
Alex Moe, Samuelsons, W T
F P Gronemiller, Roseburg
Ion Alexander, New York
Ben Stephens, do

ST. CHARLES.

T H Grey, Dallas
J M Leppard, Olympia
Mrs J Shellebarger, Chehalis
Jas Agnew, Centralia
J M Aschliman, Enterprise
Geo F Kyle, Yale, B C
Mrs L Conyers, St Helens
J C Bohr, Pt Townsend
O L Ewing, Salem
T A McBride, Or City
L W Ball, Eagle Cliff
J M Keene, Gervais
J C Brown, Salem
D Delehanty, U S Navy
Miss Sadie Gaunt, Dallas
G W Brown, Louse Creek
C L Worthington, W W
D Waking, Five Points
Mrs Shepherd, Chehalis
H G Howard, Fisher's Ldg
O D Stewart, Wash, D C
J C Orchard, New Tacoma
Mrs W H Conyers, St Helens
F C Damock, Seattle
Mrs Wilson, St Helens
W E Gothrs, Albany
Mrs Cox, Eugene
W H Matches, Eugene
F M Brazee, Freeport
T N Eakin, Milwaukee
G D Smith, Albany
J W Murray, Jr, Powell's V
W M Watson, Louse Creek
Chas McNulty, Dallas

## TRADE AND COMMERCE.

THURSDAY, Dec. 27.

The week's trade has been sadly broken into by reason of holidays and the usual dullness which marks the close of a year. Little of interest has taken place, other than there being a remarkable buying in the holiday lines.

The produce markets have more or less suffered from neglect. In the more prominent lines very little was done, while the seller have enjoyed a large call, which now gives way to a slack demand and weaker values.

Interruption in telegraphic communication has been had for two days, and very meager reports have come through.

Overland receipts since last mention include 1241 cs coal oil, 210 kgs & cs 10 hf 5 bbls syrup, 250 kgs nails, 1 cs butter, 30 kits 10 hf mackerel, 11 cs baking powder, 75 cs canned goods, 100 cs lye, 15 cts cotton rope, 211 pkgs tobacco.

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past twenty-four hours: 1684 ctls wheat, 2501 bbls flour, 381 ctls millstuff, 158 sks potatoes, 227 lbs hides, 11 cs eggs, 15 bxs fruit, 5 pkgs butter, 100 bbls lime. Also 5511 ctls wheat, 1013 bbls flour, 50,776 lbs hides, from the eastern section.

Receipts for past seven days have been:

| | Valley | Eastern |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat, ctls | 23,018 | 58,957 |
| Flour, bbls | 9,569 | 6,612 |
| Oats, ctls | 1,594 | ...... |
| Bran, ctls | 3,462 | ...... |
| Millstuff, ctls | 1,401 | ...... |
| Potatoes, sks | 491 | ...... |
| Hay, bales | 111 | ...... |
| Wool, lbs | 100 | ...... |
| Hides, lbs | 8,444 | 26,165 |
| Butter, pkgs | 57 | ...... |
| Eggs, kegs | 200 | ...... |
| Fruit, bxs | 104 | 2 |
| Lime, bbls | 300 | ...... |
| Hops, lbs | 24,668 | ...... |

Receipts by leading lines of transportation since Aug. 1, as compared with same time for last year, have been:

| | 1883. | 1882. |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat ctls | 2,241,049 | 1,689,314 |
| Flour, bbls | 231,952 | 221,884 |
| Oats, ctls | 47,225 | 87,050 |
| Barley, ctls | 2,810 | 4,140 |
| Bran, ctls | 28,206 | 28,135 |
| Millstuff, ctls | 25,177 | 21,905 |
| Potatoes, sks | 14,379 | 8,029 |
| Wool, lbs | 1,209,754 | 2,356,923 |
| Hides, lbs | 550,131 | 576,113 |
| Flaxseed, sks | 10,854 | 81,584 |
| Hops, lbs | 1,306,051 | 821,623 |

FREIGHTS—Stormy weather on the coast will account for the absence of new arrivals. The British bark Lanca is outside with Portland cancellation 31st instant, and high rate. The wooden ship Sovereign of the Seas, 1502 tons, was closed yesterday to Marshall & Gammans for wheat, loading on terms reserved. The rate to U. K. is between 13s 6d and 35s, probably nearer the latter figure. Iron in port hold for about 1s more. The loading movement has been interrupted by rains but three ships now receiving expect to complete this month.

WHEAT—Receipts light with no new business reported in shipping circles. Millers are doing much less than for last week and all values are easy. The dullness of the week is added to by weak foreign markets and an increased disinclination to operate. We quote valley $1 77½ and Walla Walla $1 70 nominal. Shippers talk 2½ cents less.

FLOUR—Receipts smaller and market quiet. Stocks continue to accumulate. Agents quote standard brands at $5 50, less trade discount.

MILLSTUFF—Values from first hands show no change, but receipts are larger. Jobbing values fairly steady at $18@20 for bran, $22 50 for shorts and $25@30 for middlings.

OATS—Receipts rather larger, but the market shows no change. Holdings are at 58@60c as to quality, with sales at 57@59c.

POTATOES—A weaker market at 47½@55c is reported. Common are freely offered at 50c.

HOPS—Market dull and inactive, with nothing doing on spot. The selling pressure is not strong enough to cause lower asking prices, which are 18@22c as to quality. Buyers show no anxiety nor even desire to operate.

WOOL—Receipts almost nothing with no sales reported. Buyers neglect the market, which is nominally quoted at 15@17 cents.

HAY—The demand is supplied without difficulty. Quote baled $20.

PROVISIONS—Demand somewhat lighter and to realize promptly our quotations would doubtless have to be shaded. Stocks in strong hands are held firmly. We quote Oregon choice hams 17@18c; best eastern, 18@19c; bacon, 11@12½c; shoulders, 11@12; eastern lard in pails, 12½@15c; local in tins, 12½@13; in kegs and 40 lb tins, 14@15c.

CHEESE—Choice White river held at 20c. California 18c and eastern 17@18c.

DRIED FRUITS—In some directions the market is weaker because of free supplies. We quote sun dried apples, 9@10c; Plummer dried apples in boxes, 16c; plums, 16c; Oregon prunes, 12c; German and eastern prunes, 9@12½c; peeled peaches, 16@18c; pears, 16c; figs, 13@12½c; California figs 9c; raisins, $1 75@2 per box, with usual advance for fractions.

APPLES—Supplies ample, with sales at 75c to $1 25, as to quality.

HIDES—A quiet market at 6@7c for green, and 13@14c for dry, is reported.

POULTRY—Market off in all directions. Chickens bring $3 50@4 for choice; geese, $9@10; ducks $5@6 50; turkeys, 15c per pound. Demand for all is lighter.

EGGS—Fresh local 40c, with full stocks.

BUTTER—Values weak under large stocks. Quote fresh roll down to 30c, and packed 17½@25c.

SHIPPING NOTES.

The Oregon reached San Francisco at 7:30 A. M. Tuesday.

The Columbia sailed from San Francisco at 10:30 A. M. yesterday.

The str Bonita is due with freight from San Francisco.

The Charles Cotesworth is near at hand, from Liverpool.

The Br ship Banca was reported outside several days ago. She brings coal from Newcastle, N. S. W., and has yet three days to reach Portland in order to save a high rate charter.

The Scottish Bard left for Astoria to complete cargo, yesterday.

The Bhotan has completed cargo at Astoria. Vessels there ready for sea are the Lee King, Cymisor, Bolivia and Gleniffer.

TONNAGE STATEMENT.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| In port— | Chartered for grain | 12,017 |
| | Loaded miscellaneous | 1,19- |
| | Disengaged | 12,062 |
| | Ready for sea | 3,60- |
| | Total in port | 29,721 |
| On way— | Due Dec. Jan | 6,042 |
| | Due Jan. Feb | 4,1- |
| | Due later on | 8,077 |
| | Total on way | 18,- |

Tonnage in Port.

CHARTERED FOR GRAIN.

| Vessel. | Tons | Charterers. |
|---|---|---|
| Br sh City of Madrid | 119- | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Br sh Oakworth | 120- | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Br bk Star of Erin | 93- | Balfour F. Mills Co |
| Br sh Bargany | 123- | J. Bourne, Jr |
| Br bk Girvan | 69- | A. J. Hubler |
| Br sh Morayshire | 1128 | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Br bk Sarah Bell | 8-- | Balfour, Guthrie & Co |
| Br bk Ladstock | 8-- | Balfour, Guthrie & Co |
| Br sh Angerona | 12-- | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Br sh Ocean Bay | 1995 | Laidlaw & Co, agts |
| Br bk Scottish Bard | 8-- | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Am sh Sovr'n of the Seas | 150- | Marshall & Gammans |

FINISHED WITH GRAIN.

| Vessel. | Tons | Loaded by |
|---|---|---|
| Br bk Cymisor | 86- | Marshall & Gammans |
| Br sh Gleniffer | 86- | Marshall & Gammans |
| Br bk Bolivia | 87- | Sibson, Church & Co |
| Br sh Bhotan | 108- | Sibson, Church & Co |

FINISHED WITH SALMON.

| Vessel. | Tons | For. |
|---|---|---|
| Am sh Lee King | 119- | London |

DISENGAGED.

| Vessel. | Tons | Agent. |
|---|---|---|
| Am bk Carrie Winslow | 94- | N. Ingersoll |
| Am sh Olive S Southard | 1193 | N. Ingersoll |
| Am sh Mt. Washington | 1217 | C. H. Prescott |
| Am sh Red Cross | 1[illegible] | N. Ingersoll |
| Am sh Indiana | 14-- | Bosworth & Robertson |
| Am sh Highland Light | 13-- | Bosworth & Robertson |
| Am sh Sea King | 14-- | C. H. Prescott |
| Am sh Religion | [illegible] | Master |
| Br bk Janet McNeil | 8-- | Balfour, Guthrie & Co |
| Br bk Berwick | 9-- | Meyer, Wilson & Co |

Merchandise Quotations.

BAGS AND TWINE—We quote: Grain bags, 22x36 in., Calcuttas, spot, 7½c; wool bags, 3½ lbs 42c; 3¾ lbs, 45c; 4 lbs, 47½c; bean twine, 32@35c; sewing twine, 30@32c.

SUGARS—Quotations are: (A) patent cube, 10½c; (A) crushed, 10½c; powdered 10½c; dry granulated, 10¼c; ex golden C 9½c; golden C, 9c. Quotations represent barrels; halves and boxes ¼c@½c advance. Island in kegs, 8@9c; in bbls, 8¾c.

BEANS—Values quote firm at 4c for butter, bayos and pinks, and 5c for small whites.

BREAD, ETC.—Quote Pilot, 8c; ship, 5½c; soda crackers, 9@10c; other crackers, biscuits, and cakes, 9@12c as to kind.

CANNED GOODS—Dealers quote: Assorted fruits, $2 75; pie peaches, $2@2 25; table peaches $2 50@2 75; assorted pie fruits, 2½'s $1 75; gallons $4 75; tomatoes, 2½'s $1 30; gallons $3 75@4; corn $1 60.

COAL OIL—A good request is had, and best brands are firm at 26@27½c; others 25@27c.

COFFEE—Java quoted 25@27c; Rio and Costa Rica, 15@16c, and firm.

SALT—We quote fine Liverpool at $16, $18, and $20 as to containers and coarse; California, $10 50@12 50.

RICE—Quote Island $5 50; mixed China $4 75@4 87.

PICKLES—Quotation for keg, $1 60.

The Meat Market.

Quotations represent rates paid by slaughterers to dealers for whole carcasses.

BEEF—First quality quoted, 4@4½c gross.

VEAL—Quote large, 6c; small, 8c.

MUTTON—Wethers, gross, 2¾@3c. Lambs, $1 75 @2 25.

PORK—Dressed 5½@6c; live, 4¼@5c.

Markets by Telegraph.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.

All January options: Wheat, 97; pork, $14 10; lard, $8 72½; ribs, $7 07½; short ribs, $7 75.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.

Wheat—Steady.
Flour—Steady.
Wool—Steady.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.

Weather foggy, wind light, southwest; rainfall yesterday, 0.10.

Receipts—Wheat 10,050 ctls; flour 2,700 qr sks; oats 750 ctls; potatoes 75 sks.

Freights—Chartered Brit bk, U. K., Br sh Sierra Parima, iron, 1,435 tons, 37s; rechartered for Cork, U. K., Br sh Glenmorn, iron, 1,701 tons, 40s. Wood hold at 25s to Cork for orders U. K.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.

Receipts—Wheat 10,000 ctls; flour [illegible] qr sks; oats 150 ctls; potatoes [illegible] sks; eggs 500 dozen.

Freights—Chartered prior to arrival for Cork, U. K., Br sh Cockermouth, iron, 1,236 tons, private; rechartered prior to arrival, Br sh Theophane, wood, 1,511 tons, for Cork U. K., 27s 6d; the charters of the Br sh Deccan, iron, 1,443, and Br sh Leicester Castle, iron, 2,069 tons, are canceled.

Weather cloudy, wind light southwest; rainfall yesterday, 0.10; Red Bluff, 0.05.

Wheat—The spot market is quiet with few sales at sellers. Choice shipping at 77½@1 80 to Walla Walla $1 75 asked; good eastern Oregon reported sold at $1 70 on wharf; No 1 white, $1 ... the year, $1 78¾@1 79½; buyer the season, $1 85.

Flour—Inactive; stocks are increasing.

Barley—Feed, spot, quiet at $1 36@1 40; brewing, $1 12½@1 15; No. 1 feed, seller the season, $1 35@1 40; buyer the season, $1 42½@1 45.

Oats—There is very little demand; best quality of Washington territory held at $1 65@1 65.

Potatoes—Petaluma and Tomales, 60@65c; Oregon Garnet Chile, $1 35@1 35. Market dull and prices favor buyers.

Onions—Lower, at 50@75c.

Salmon—Sale reported of 6700 cases Oregon, private, but understood to be $1 05, commission off.

Provisions—Steady and quiet.

Wool—Inactive; demand mainly for California fall.

Hops—Market quiet, prices favor sellers; quote 17@21c.

Eggs—Stocks small; fresh California, 37½@40c.

Butter—Weak, and sellers are anxious; fresh roll, 32½@35c.

BEERBOHM'S FOREIGN BREADSTUFFS REPORT.

LONDON MARKETS.

LONDON, Dec. 27.

Floating cargoes—Inactive.

Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Very little demand.

Number of arrivals of wheat cargoes off coast—Small.

Quantities on passage to continent—Wheat 340,000 quarters.

Quantities on passage to U. K. for ports of call and direct ports—Wheat and flour, 2,175,000 quarters.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 27.

Spot market—Slow.

PARIS MARKETS.

PARIS, Dec. 27.

Spot market—Wheat and flour—Quiet.

MONEY MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 27.—Sterling exchange on London banks, sixty days, $4 81@4 81½; documentary, $4 83¾.

Transfers—20.

Bank of England rate of interest—3 per cent.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Silver bullion, 1.00 fine, per fine ounce, 110½.

Sterling exchange prime banks, long, $4 82, short, $4 85.

Good commercial, from 1 to 1½c lower; documentary, 2 to 1½c lower.

United States bonds—4s, 101; 4½s, 114; 4s, 124.

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Consols, 100 11-16; money, 100 1-16 account.

Silver bullion, English standard, 925 fine, per fine ounce, 51 15-16.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

PORT TOWNSEND, Dec. 25.—Arrived—Bk Lizzie Marshall, Brio.

TACOMA, Dec. 25.—Arrived—Sh Canara, San Francisco.

PORT LUDLOW, Dec. 25.—Sailed—Sh Cowlitz, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 26.—Arrived—Str Oregon, Portland; str Empire, Nanaimo; Brit Pascadena; sh Rosie West, New York; Haw bk Kalakaua, Honolulu; str Thrasher, whaling. Sailed—Str Ponita, Portland; Br sh Wellington, Nanaimo; ship Atlantic, whaling.

Dec. 26.—Arrived—Str Geo W. Elder, Seattle; bar E. K. Hall, Port Blakely. Sailed—Str Columbia, Portland.

Dec. 27.—Arrived—Br sh Cockermouth, Sydney. Cleared—Br sh Clara, Cork.

FOREIGN.

QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 24.—Arrived—Br sh Yarkand, San Francisco, in damaged condition; made some water, and jettisoned 1000 bags cargo.

Dec. 25.—Arrived—Br sh Clan Mackenzie, San Francisco; Nor sh Baronesse, San Francisco.

Dec. 26.—Arrived—Br bk ... Bay, San Francisco.

Dec. 15.—Sailed—Br sh Carnarvonshire, Cork.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 26.—Arrived—Br bk Lorton, S. F.

SYDNEY, Dec. 15.—Arrived—Bk Priscilla, Hastings Mills.

LEVITH, Dec. 10.—Arrived—Br bk Dione, S. F.

ANTWERP, Dec. 21.—Sailed—Str Gulf ..., N. Y.

ABERDEEN, Dec. 11.—Sailed—Bark Zealandia, S. F.

GLASGOW, Dec. 15.—In port—Br ships Turkestan and Nereus, for S. F.

GREENOCK, Dec. 13.—New Br sh Earl of Beaconsfield at Port Glasgow was damaged by falling.

SPOKEN.

Oct. 13—Off Staten Land—Sh Thomas Liverpool for S. F.

Nov. 28—Lat 6 S, lon 109 W—Br bk Chas. Cotesworth, Liverpool for Portland.

Nov. —, Lat 51 S, lon 63—Sh John C. Walker, Liverpool for S. F.

Nov. 20—Lat 53, lon 63 W—Br bk Princess Royal, Burrard Inlet for London.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| North Pacific com | 27⅝ | Pacific Mail | 41 |
| North Pacific Pref'd | 57⅝ | Lake Shore | 99 |
| Oregon & Transcon | 31⅝ | New York Central | 112 |
| Western Union | 75⅝ | Erie | 27⅝ |

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.

P. M.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Western Union | 74½ | Or. Imp. Bonds | 85 |
| Or. & Transcon | 37⅝ | O. R. & N. stock, 102 | 101 |
| Or. Imp. Stock | 64⅜ | | |

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.

CLOSING.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pacific Mail | 42 | Western Union | 74 |
| Northwestern | 116⅝ | Lake Shore | 99 |
| Nor. Pac. common | 26 | New York Central | 112 |
| Nor. Pac. preferred | 56⅝ | Erie | 27⅝ |
| Transcontinental | 30 | Or. Imp. Stock | 64 |

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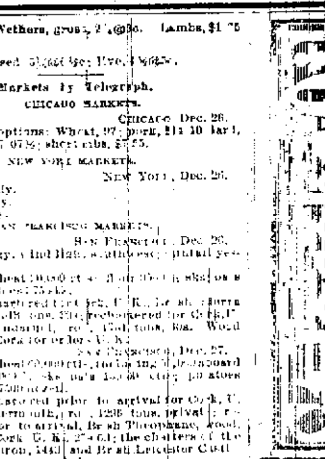

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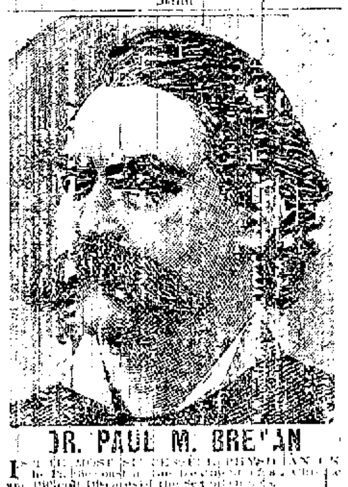

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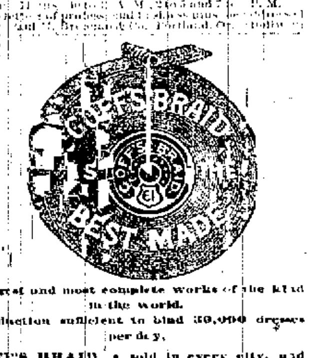

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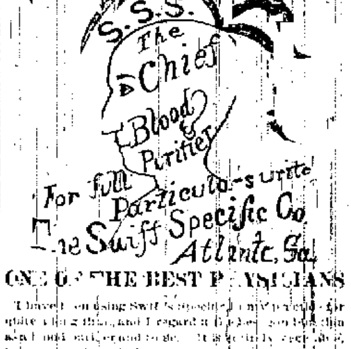

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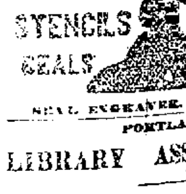

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Trains for steamer connecting with Atlantic Express leave Ash st. wharf, Portland, daily, at 7:30 P. M.
Pacific Express arrives at Portland daily at 6:00 A. M.
Main Line Passenger Trains run daily, connecting at Wallula Junction for points on Northern Pacific R. R.
Through Sleeping Cars between Portland and St. Paul.

MIDDLE COLUMBIA RIVER DIVISION.
DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.
Boat leaves Portland for Dalles at 7 A. M.
Boat arrives at Portland from Dalles at 5 P. M.
ALSO

| Leave Portland for | Mo. | Tu. | We. | Th. | Fr. | Sa. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Astoria & Lower Columbia | 6 AM | 6 AM | 6 AM | 6 AM | 6 AM | 6 AM |
| Dayton, Or. | 7 AM | | 7 AM | | 7 AM | |
| Salem | | 7 AM | | | 7 AM | |
| Corvallis | | | | 6 AM | | |
| Victoria, B. C. | 6 AM | | 6 AM | | | |

NARROW GAUGE DIVISION.
EAST SIDE.
BETWEEN PORTLAND AND COBURG via O. & C. R. R. to Woodburn.
On and After May 13th, 1883,
Trains for Coburg leave Portland at 7:30 A. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
WEST SIDE.
BET. PORTLAND, SHERIDAN AND AIRLIE via O. & C. R. R. to Whites.
Leave Portland at 9 A. M. Returning, leave Airlie ... for Portland at 1:30 A. M.
Freight for all points on Narrow Gauge Divisions received and forwarded by the O. & C. R. R. East and West Side Divisions, respectively.

General Offices—Cor. Front and D Streets.
C. H. PRESCOTT, Manager. JOHN MUIR, Supt of Traffic.
A. L. STOKES, Ass't Sup't of Traffic. E. P. ROGERS, Gen. Agent Pass. Dep't.
A. L. MAXWELL, Ticket Agent.

Oregon and California R. R.
Oregon and Transcontinental Company, Lessee.
[illegible]
On and after Dec. 2, 1883, trains will run as follows:
(DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
Eastside Division.
Between PORTLAND and GRANT'S PASS
Mail Train

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 7:30 A.M. | Grant's Pass | [illegible] |
| Grant's Pass | 10:00 P.M. | Portland | [illegible] |

Albany Express Train

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 4:00 P.M. | Lebanon | [illegible] |
| Lebanon | 4:45 A.M. | Portland | [illegible] |

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all the regular trains on the Eastside Division.

Westside Division.
BETWEEN PORTLAND and CORVALLIS
Mail Train

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 9:00 A.M. | Corvallis | [illegible] |
| Corvallis | 8:30 A.M. | Portland | [illegible] |

Express Train.

| LEAVE | | ARRIVE | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Portland | 5:00 P.M. | McMinnville | [illegible] |
| McMinnville | 5:45 A.M. | Portland | [illegible] |

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Tickets for sale at all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's office.
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Freight will not be received for shipment after five o'clock P. M. on either the East or Westside Division.
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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.
WESTERN DIVISION.
PACIFIC DIVISION.
Leave Kalama at 10:15 A.M. Arrive at New Tacoma at 5:50 P. M.
Leave New Tacoma at 7 A. M. Arrive at Kalama 12:15 P.M.
Connections.
At New Tacoma with Sound steamers.
At Tenino with the O. & C. V. railroad.
At Kalama with O. R. & N. Co.'s boats.

IDAHO & ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION.
Leave Wallula Junction at 2:00 A. M. Arrive at Cheney at 1:15 P.M., Spokane Falls at 7:15 P.M.
Returning, arrive at Spokane Falls at ... A.M.; Cheney at 6:35 A. M., and Wallula Junction at ... P.M.
Connection
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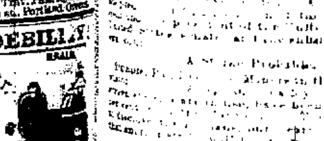

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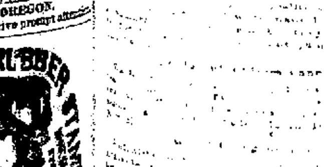

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